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MEMORANDA.—MARCH QUARTER, 1920.

Trade.—The Oversea Imports (excluding gold) into New South Wales, during the March quarter, 1920, were valued at £10,816,000, and show an increase of £128,993 over the corresponding quarter of last year. The total for nine months, July, 1919, to March, 1920, was £27,826,462, a decrease of £3,874,259, or 12·2 per cent. in comparison with the corresponding period in 1918-19.

The Oversea Exports (excluding gold) from New South Wales, during the March quarter, 1920, amounted to £13,198,674, being a decrease of £1,290,867, or 8·9 per cent., as compared with the corresponding quarter of last year. For the nine months, July, 1919, to March, 1920, the exports were £39,072,036, being an increase of £3,290,760, or 9·2 per cent. compared with the figures for 1918-19.

Imports at Sydney.—Excluding imports from other ports of New South Wales, the articles, exclusive of gold, imported at Sydney in March quarter, 1920, were valued at £15,374,695. The following is a summary of the imports and transhipments:—

Imports.	Weight and Measurement.	Value.	Transhipments.	Weight and Measurement.
	tons.	£		tons.
Oversea	212,141	10,586,817	Oversea	39,118
Interstate	149,757	4,787,878	Interstate	29,908
From State Ports ...	454,232	Not available	State Ports	15,790

During the nine months, July, 1919, to March, 1920, the oversea imports were valued at £27,154,915, and the Interstate imports at £13,815,247, the total of the two being £40,970,162.

Public Finances—Consolidated Revenue Accounts.—The Public Accounts show that the net revenue for the March quarter was £7,229,450, being an increase of £1,882,159, or 35·2 per cent. as compared with March quarter, 1919. During the nine months, July, 1919, to March, 1920, the revenue was £19,473,849, being £3,621,761, or 22·8 per cent. more than the corresponding period of the last financial year.

Principal increases during the nine months were—	£
From Commonwealth Returns	48,393
Taxation (by State)	708,495
Public Lands	64,983
Railways and Tramways	2,662,063
Pilotage, Harbour and Light Rates	23,858
Fees	36,636
Forestry Revenue	21,256
Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Rates	123,256

Principal decreases during the same period were— £

Services rendered, other than Pilotage, etc., and Fees	10,190
Unclassified Receipts	24,735

The expenditure during March quarter was £7,117,385, an increase of £1,759,244 or 32·8 per cent., as compared with March quarter of last year. During the nine months ended 31st March, 1920, the expenditure was £20,604,899, being £4,348,106, or 26·7 per cent. more than in 1919.

Principal increases during the nine months were— £

Government Departments... ...	1,007,960
Business Undertakings	2,793,022
Interest Payments	547,125

On the 31st March, 1920, the Consolidated Revenue Account was in debit to the amount of £2,789,616.

Loan Expenditure.—The following table shows the net Loan Expenditure (including payments in anticipation of loans) during March quarters, 1919 and 1920, and the nine months July to March, 1919 and 1920.

Service	March quarter.		July to March.	
	1919.	1920.	1919.	1920.
	£	£	£	£
Works and Services ...	985,226	2,257,224	3,083,892	5,862,297
Repayment of Loans ...	771,134	1,934,981	12,687,049	13,214,874
Store Advance Accounts ...	.....	7,500	1,000	65,500
Closer Settlement Accounts	.....	500,000	.....	1,000,000
Total ... ... £	1,756,360	4,699,705	15,771,941	20,142,665

In March quarter, 1920, the net Loan expenditure on works and services was £1,271,998 greater than in March quarter, 1919, and showed an increase of £2,778,399 during the nine months, July to March, 1920, as compared with the figures of the previous nine months. Repayments of loans to the amount of £1,934,981 were made in March quarter, 1920, and to the amount of £13,214,874 during the nine months, July to March, 1920.

Gold Production.—The gold yield during March quarter, 1920, was 15,997 oz. crude, equal to 15,290 oz. fine, valued at £64,947, and showed an increase of 1,702 oz. fine, and £7,231 in value, compared with March quarter, 1919. The value of the gold produced during the year ended 31st December, 1919, was £279,666, and showed a decrease of 21,206 oz. fine, and £90,077 in value, in the figures for previous year.

Land Selections.—In March quarter, 1920, there were 585 applications for 310,790 acres under the Crown Lands Acts; and 147,857 acres, representing 351 blocks, were gazetted for residential settlement, which include areas set apart for returned soldiers. During the year 1919 the number of applications was 2,344, and the area applied for 1,951,486 acres. The original area gazetted for residential settlement in the year was 1,613,590 acres, representing 2,058 blocks.

Cost of Living, Sydney.—From the information collected each month (*see* Table 59) as to the average retail prices in Sydney of food and groceries, it appears that in March, 1920, the prices of meat were 76·5 per cent. higher than in July, 1914; other food and groceries were 68·8 per cent. higher, and the prices for the two combined were 70·8 per cent. higher.

Compared with the corresponding month (March) of 1919, meat was 6·6 per cent. dearer; other food and groceries were 24·1 per cent. dearer, and the two combined were 19·6 per cent. dearer.

The following is a statement of the price levels since July, 1914, the levels for which were taken as base, and called 100 :—

Month.		Meat.	Other Food and Groceries.	Meat, other Food and Groceries combined.
July,	1914	100	100	100
March	1915	107·3	105·2	105·7
,,	1916	167·2	118·8	131·3
,,	1917	170·8	121·6	134·3
,,	1918	170·5	124·2	136·2
,,	1919	169·9	144·7	151·2
October	,,	168·9	154·9	158·5
November	,,	168·1	162·5	163·9
December	,,	166·6	162·3	163·4
January	1920	176·2	161·1	165·6
February	,,	176·7	167·5	169·8
March	,,	176·5	168·8	170·8

Meteorology.—Generally, dry conditions prevailed in the State during March quarter, though some good falls of rain were recorded. The north-eastern districts benefited in January from downpours substantially above the average, but these were followed by a protracted dry spell, broken only by scattered storms of doubtful utility. There were isolated good rains in places on the Plains and Slopes areas in January and February, but conditions in March were dry generally, except on the Southern Tablelands and South-Western Slopes. Elsewhere, west of the coastal district, very little rain fell.

From the beginning of the year high temperatures prevailed; these conditions, however, moderated in March.

Vital Statistics—Sydney and Suburbs—March quarter, 1920.—The births registered numbered 4,768, equivalent to a rate of 23·00 per 1,000 of population per annum; of the total, 2,450 were males and 2,318 females. The rate is low, being 12·2 per cent. below the average of March quarter of the previous five years.

The deaths numbered 2,005, namely, 1,090 males and 915 females. The mortality rate of 9·68 per 1,000 of population per annum is 3·4 per cent. above the quinquennial rate for the March quarter. The deaths were below the average in age-group under 1, and 1–4, and above the average in age-groups, 5 to 64, and 65 and over.

The infantile mortality (deaths under 1 year) was 72·8 per 1,000 births, and is 9·1 per cent. above the average for the March quarter of the previous five years.

New Buildings—Metropolis.—According to returns supplied by the several Town Clerks, the number of new buildings erected in the Metropolitan area during March quarter, 1920, numbered 2,055, as compared with 1,370 during March quarter, 1919.

Country Municipalities.—Table No. 64 shows that during the quarter permission was granted to erect 959 new buildings of the value of £652,100. In this table the estimated population of each country municipality is stated.

Wheat Harvest, 1919–20.—(*See* table No. 78).

NEW SOUTH WALES.

BOUNDARIES AND AREA.

New South Wales lies in the temperate zone, and almost entirely between the 29th and 36th parallels of south latitude and the 141st and 154th meridians of east longitude; the southern boundary dips from the 34th parallel on the west to the 37th parallel on the east. The State is bordered on the north, west, and south respectively by the States of Queensland, South Australia, and Victoria, and on the east by the South Pacific Ocean. The total length of coast line is 700 miles, representing 1 mile of coast to 443 square miles of its area.

The area of New South Wales, including Lord Howe Island and the Federal Capital Territory, is estimated at 310,372 square miles, or 198,638,080 acres, representing rather more than one-tenth of the total area of the Commonwealth of Australia. There was a formal surrender to the Commonwealth Government on 1st January, 1911, of about 900 square miles at Yass-Canberra as Territory for the Federal Capital, and subsequently an area of about 28 square miles at Jervis Bay was surrendered to the Federal Government for naval purposes.

The length of the State, measuring directly from Point Danger on the north to Cape Howe on the south, is 683 miles. From east to west, along the 29th parallel, the breadth is 756 miles, while diagonally from the south-west corner, where the River Murray passes into South Australia, to Point Danger, the distance is 850 miles.

Lord Howe Island, the dependency of New South Wales, is 7 miles in length, by a width ranging from half-a-mile to $1\frac{3}{4}$ miles, and has an area of 5 square miles.

The area of New South Wales is 10·40 per cent. of the total area of the Commonwealth.

Capital City of New South Wales.

Sydney, the capital city of New South Wales, and the seat of Government, is situated on the shores of Port Jackson. It is the oldest and largest of the Australian towns, and is the main commercial and industrial centre of New South Wales. The great bulk of the sea trade of the State passes through Sydney, where all the main railways converge and numerous large manufacturing establishments are conducted.

The Sydney Observatory is situated in latitude 33° 51′ 41·1″ south, longitude 151° 12′ 23·1″ east.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

Statistical Bulletin,—March Quarter, 1920.

No. 1.—Population of New South Wales.

Year.	Estimated Population at end of Year.			Annual Increase.		Mean Population.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Numerical.	Per cent.	
1909	829,329	767,356	1,596,685	36,659	2·35	1,577,200
1910	852,680	785,540	1,638,220	41,535	2·60	1,616,200
1911	889,391	809,345	1,698,736*	62,240*	3·80	1,664,500*
1912	935,979	842,983	1,778,962	80,226	4·72	1,738,600
1913	962,749	869,707	1,832,456	53,494	3·01	1,809,400
1914	967,033	894,995	1,862,028	29,572	1·61	1,853,400
1915	953,162	917,253	1,870,415	8,387	·45	1,868,200
1916	923,113	934,807	1,857,920	(—)12,495	(—) ·67	1,866,300
1917	934,252	954,877	1,889,129	31,209	1·68	1,874,400
1918	956,237	971,937	1,928,174	39,045	2·07	1,909,500
1919	**1,009,743**	**990,430**	**2,000,173**	**71,999**	**3·73**	**1,963,600**
1920—31st March	**1,019,442**	**998,041**	**2,017,483**	...	...	...

*The population includes Aborigines of full-blood, viz., 2,012, of whom 1,152 are males and 860 females.
(—) Denotes decrease.

* The population since 1st January, 1911, is exclusive of Federal Capital Area, the population of which at the Census on 2nd April, 1911, was 1,724, of whom 997 were males and 727 females.

No. 2.—Births, Deaths, and Marriages.

Year.	Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Population.			Infantile Mortality.
				Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	Deaths under one year per 1,000 Births.
1909	43,769	15,840	13,048	27·75	10·04	8·27	74·28
1910	45,533	16,191	14,294	28·17	10·02	8·85	74·60
1911	47,677	17,179	15,267	28·64	10·32	9·17	69·49
1912	51,993	18,886	16,664	29·90	10·86	9·58	71·30
1913	52,134	19,732	16,311	28·81	10·91	9·01	78·34
1914	53,615	18,777	17,353	28·93	10·13	9·36	69·72
1915	52,885	19,610	18,129	28·31	10·50	9·70	68·13
1916	52,075	19,854	16,320	27·90	10·64	8·74	67·84
1917	52,467	17,969	13,261	27·99	9·59	7·07	57·48
1918	50,700	18,840	13,199	26·55	9·87	6·91	59·17
1919	**48,528**	**26,385**	**15,818**	**24·71**	**13·44**	**8·06**	**72·27**
March Quarter—							
1920	**12,115**	**4,697**	**4,796**	**24·23**	**9·39**	**9·59**	**72·97**
1919	12,266	4,510	3,384	24·99	9·19	6·89	66·28

No. 3.—Movement of Population.

Year.	Arrivals.					Departures.				
	Interstate.		Oversea.		Total.	Interstate		Oversea.		Total.
	Males.	Females	Males.	Females		Males	Females	Males.	Females	
1909	129,982	69,50	35,416	15,609	250,509	133,042	70,989	25,565	12,183	241,779
1910	143,911	77,92(	37,380	15,999	275,21(	144,593	78,638	27,441	12,351	263,023
1911	176,217	93,503	49,04(	21,365	340,125	171,583	92,427	30,470	13,903	308,383
1912	193,20	104,272	60,607	27,309	385,397	183,906	100,541	38,848	14,983	338,278
1913	200,216	105,715	49,245	26,014	381,190	198,37(	105,458	39,403	16,858	360,098
1914	213,207	119,684	46,03(	21,229	400,159	216,209	115,154	55,186	18,875	405,425
1915	220,831	120,86(	31,629	12,733	386,053	211,637	116,921	70,342	12,041	410,941
1916	227,30	131,15(	29,564	10,124	398,141	217,66(	128,291	84,951	12,536	442,857
1917	173,192	101,576	27,(04	7,159	309,831	162,207	98,409	43,979	8,525	313,120
1918	187,77(	111,956	31 475	7 269	338,179	176,510	112,222	35,843	6,719	331,294
1919	158,204	82,659	77,108	16,168	334,139	155,126	80,761	36,297	12,099	284,283

No. 4.—Countries whence Immigrants arrived.

Year.	Other Australian States.		United Kingdom.	New Zealand.	Other Countries.	Total.
	By Land.	By Sea.				
1909	144,199	55,285	15,057	23,040	12,928	250,509
1910	163,691	58,146	16,537	22,410	14,432	275,216
1911	198,458	71,262	24,217	27,008	19,180	340,125
1912	221,609	75,872	36,925	26,696	24,295	385,397
1913	234,441	71,490	30,318	23,284	21,657	381,190
1914	257,016	75,875	19,936	25,290	22,042	400,159
1915	275,955	65,736	7,299	18,037	19,026	386,053
1916	303,930	55,423	2,721	15,065	21,902	398,141
1917	234,673	4[illegible],095	382	10,682	23,999	309,831
1918	270,867	28,868	494	9,682	28,568	338,479
1919	221,365	19,498	10,297	11,062	71,917	334,139

No. 5.—Countries for which Emigrants departed.

Year.	Other Australian States.		United Kingdom.	New Zealand.	Other Countries.	Total.
	By Land.	By Sea.				
1909	149,275	54,756	6,766	17,812	13,170	241,779
1910	166,509	56,722	7,834	17,247	14,711	263,023
1911	197,088	66,922	8,837	18,593	16,943	308,383
1912	213,268	71,179	11,647	19,691	22,493	338,278
1913	234,914	68,923	13,002	20,767	22,492	360,098
1914	259,488	71,875	15,426	23,213	35,423	405,425
1915	269,747	58,811	6,506	17,927	57,950	410,941
1916	203,736	51,624	3,522	15,902	78,073	442,857
1917	224,029	36,587	3,628	10,204	38,672	313,120
1918	263,239	25 493	489	8,189	33,884	331,294
1919	218,696	17,191	11,760	13,275	23,361	284,283

No. 6.—Population—Metropolis.

Year.	Estimated Population at end of Year.			Annual Increase.		Mean Population.
	Sydney (including Shipping).	Suburbs.	Total.	Numerical.	Per cent.	
1909	120,660	485,240	605,900	13,800	2·33	599,000
1910	119,800	502,430	622,230	16,330	2·70	614,100
1911	118,800	538,000	656,800	34,570	5·56	639,500
1912	116,400	578,400	694,800	38,000	5·79	675,800
1913	115,900	609,500	725,400	30,600	4·40	710,100
1914	110,700	641,800	752,500	27,100	3 74	741,200
1915	104,200	658,800	763,000	10,500	1·31	757,750
1916	106,000	658,600	764,600	1,600	0·21	763,800
1917	106,000	671,300	777,300	12,700	1 66	771,000
1918	106,000	686,700	792,700	15,400	1·98	785,000
1919	108,500	720,200	828,700	36,000	4·54	810,700

NOTE.—The population of Ku-ring-gai Shire (16,790 on 31st December, 1919) is included above as from 1st January, 1911.

No. 7.—Vital Statistics—Metropolis.

Year.	Births.	Deaths.		Marriages.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Population.			Infantile Mortality.
		Total.	Under one year.		Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	Deaths under one year per 1,000 Births.
1909	15,461	6,149	1,261	6,367	25·81	10·27	10·62	81·6
1910	16,204	6,365	1,329	6,931	26·39	10·36	11·29	82·0
1911	17,829	6,973	1,268	7,640	27·88	10·90	11·95	71·1
1912	20,140	7,681	1,530	8,923	29·80	11·37	13·20	76·0
1913	20,535	7,938	1,608	8,892	28·92	11·18	12·52	78·3
1914	20,821	7,603	1,452	9,479	28·09	10·26	12·79	69·7
1915	20,871	8,189	1,512	10,122	27·54	10·81	13·58	72·4
1916	20,856	8,156	1,428	9,009	27·31	10·66	11·80	68·5
1917	20,278	7,518	1,212	7,009	26·30	9·75	9·09	59·8
1918	19,526	7,862	1,225	6,906	24·87	10·02	8·83	62·7
1919	18,685	11,907	1,483	8,575	23·05	14·69	10·58	79·4
Mar. Qr., 1920...	4,768	2,005	347	2,692	23·00	9·68	12·99	72·8
„ 1919	4,905	1,921	319	1,709	24·20	9·48	8·43	65·0

No. 8.—Vital Statistics of the Metropolis—March Quarter, 1920.

NOTE.—In calculating the averages for previous five years, due allowance has been made for increase in population.

Particulars.	March Quarter, 1920.	Average of March Quarter, for previous five years.
Births	4,768	5,430
Deaths	2,005	1,941
Illegitimate Births	285	370
Deaths under 1 year... ...	347	362
„ 1–4	119	131
„ 5–64	987	957
„ 65 and over	552	491
Annual Rates per 1,000 of Population—		
Births	23·00	26·21
Deaths	9·68	9·37
Illegitimate Births ...	1·38	1·78
Deaths under 1 per 1,000 Births	72·8	66·7

Principal Causes of Death.	March Quarter, 1920.	Average of March Quarter, for previous five years.
Diarrhœa and Enteritis ...	244	197
Cancer	222	205
Diseases of the Heart ...	221	194
Developmental Diseases of Infants.	148	169
Pulmonary Diseases	134	130
Bright's Disease (Acute and Chronic).	124	118
Phthisis	87	93
Accident	80	80
Hæmorrhage, &c., of the Brain	78	76
Senility	71	74
Epidemic Diseases	54	100

No. 9.—Principal Causes of Death during March Quarters, 1919 and 1920.

Causes of Death.	Sydney and Suburbs.				New South Wales.			
	1920.			1919.	1920.			1919.
	Males.	Females	Total.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Total.
General Diseases—								
Typhoid Fever	9	5	14	14	27	25	52	38
Measles	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Scarlet Fever	1	...	1	1	1	2	3	6
Whooping-cough	2	1	3	29	5	4	9	53
Diphtheria	9	7	16	7	25	29	54	20
Influenza	3	3	6	112	13	12	25	136
Erysipelas	2	2	4	5	3	3	6	6
Other Epidemic Diseases	3	...	3	7	12	5	17	14
Phthisis	54	35	89	85	151	95	246	257
Tubercular Meningitis	7	5	12	12	10	7	17	18
Other Tubercular Diseases	2	6	8	10	10	11	21	23
Cancer	97	126	223	201	222	217	439	407
Diabetes	11	15	26	23	21	23	44	46
Alcoholism	5	2	7	4	8	4	12	12
Other General Diseases	36	40	76	66	67	62	129	135
Local Diseases—								
Meningitis	2	2	4	10	12	7	19	24
Cerebro-spinal Meningitis	3	...	3	4	6	1	7	6
Infantile Paralysis	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	1
Cerebral Hæmorrhage	36	36	72	67	85	59	144	149
Convulsions of Infants	6	1	7	10	15	6	21	41
Other Diseases of Nervous System	41	27	68	64	79	51	130	171
Diseases of the Heart	121	102	223	201	297	187	484	470
Other Diseases Circulatory System	57	22	79	58	100	41	141	113
Bronchitis	20	12	32	22	49	30	79	67
Pneumonia	46	44	90	95	97	82	179	174
Other Diseases Respiratory System	11	12	23	17	42	30	72	48
Diseases of the Stomach	8	6	14	10	23	20	43	33
Diarrhœa and Enteritis	118	127	245	183	315	344	659	500
Appendicitis	14	9	23	18	33	22	55	45
Hernia, Intestinal Obstruction	15	7	22	20	27	11	38	45
Cirrhosis of the Liver	9	5	14	10	20	10	30	25
Peritonitis	2	...	2	6	3	1	4	12
Other Diseases of Digestive System	3	9	12	23	20	22	42	58
Bright's Disease (Acute and Chronic)	79	45	124	103	148	81	229	195
Other Genito-Urinary Diseases	21	12	33	34	55	26	81	65
Pue peral Septicæmia	...	15	15	15	...	24	24	19
Other Puerperal Diseases	...	21	21	20	...	43	43	41
Developmental Diseas es of Infants—								
Prematurity	43	36	79	89	116	83	199	208
Other Developmental Diseases	44	27	71	56	102	78	180	171
Senility	31	40	71	76	142	114	256	255
Violence—								
Suicide	23	6	29	31	44	9	53	62
Accident	65	25	90	70	218	68	286	243
All other Causes	34	20	54	33	84	39	123	95
Total	1,093	915	2,008	1,921	2,708	1,989	4,697	4,510

Approximate Mean Annual Death-rate per 1,000 of Population—

	Sydney and Suburbs.	New South Wales.
January to March, 1919	9·48	9·19
„ „ 1920	9·69	9·39

No. 10.—Trade Comparison—Oversea—Annual.

Year.	Imports.	Exports.	Year.	Imports.	Exports.
	£	£		£	£
1908	19,828,486	26,880,709	1914*	16,677,336*	15,738,313*
1909	20,888,019	26,044,789	1914-15	27,323,243	28,107,025
1910	23,238,993	32,035,451	1915-16	33,379,698	40,975,416
1911	27,343,428	32,161,401	1916-17	32,742,297	50,290,824
1912	32,303,630	32,958,529	1917-18	†28,447,579	†36,929,487
1913	32,350,663	32,839,789	1918-19	†43,592,732	†48,858,517

*Six months—January—June. † Exclusive of gold.

No. 11.—Trade Comparison—Oversea Imports—Monthly.

Month.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.	1918-19.	1919-20.	(+) Increase (—) Decrease in 1919-20.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
July	2,814,485	2,871,984	†2,306,512	†2,629,437	†3,093,799	(+) 464,362
August	3,532,624	3,254,124	†1,240,785	†4,214,401	†2,299,764	(-)1,914,637
September ...	2,486,149	3,054,850	†1,922,038	†4,002,031	†3,040,074	(-) 961,957
October ...	3,245,746	3,416,811	†2,608,655	†3,898,808	†2,531,846	(-)1,366,962
November ...	2,245,324	3,116,342	†3,104,517	†3,878,498	†2,909,249	(-)969,249
December ...	2,342,661	2,815,803	†2,516,463	†2,390,539	†3,135,730	(+) 745,191
January ...	2,525,756	3,412,759	†3 343,368	†3,859,970	†3,102,771	(-) 757,199
February ...	2,728,772	2,221,050	†2,920,571	†2,685,583	†2,951,143	(+) 265,560
March	2,814,847	2,581,198	†1,863,177	†4,141,454	†4,762,086	(+) 620,632
Total (nine months).	24,736,364	26,744,921	†21,826,086	†31,700,721	†27,826,462	(-)3,874,259

† Exclusive of gold.

No. 12.—Trade Comparison—Oversea Exports—Monthly.

Month.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.	1918-19.	1919-20.	(+) Increase (—) Decrease in 1919-20.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
July	3,915,380	2,032,591	†3,238,098	†2,729,981	†3,389,725	(+) 659,744
August	3,296,657	3,458,771	†1,931,177	†4,366,374	†4,171,358	(-) 195,016
September ...	4,233,890	3,314,836	†1,781,441	†2,740,632	†5,287,217	(+) 2,546,585
October ...	4,013,798	4,335,913	†3,167,519	†3,693,283	†4,506,023	(+) 812,740
November ...	3,449,824	3,206,746	†3,285,611	†4,676,787	†4,242,541	(-) 434,246
December ...	4,206,279	4,566,580	†4,068,424	†3,084,678	†4,276,498	(+)1,191,820
January ...	2,402,033	3,051,917	†3,852,808	†3,524,389	†3,250,273	(-)274,116
February ...	3,646,039	4,016,127	†3,557,018	†6,070,369	†5,023,775	(-)1,046,594
March	3,497,558	4,137,732	†2 421,662	†4,894,783	†4,924,626	(+)29,843
Total (nine months).	32,661,458	32,121,213	†27,303,758	†35,781,276	†39,072,036	(+)3,29 0,760

† Exclusive of gold.

No. 13.—Principal Articles Imported Oversea, Annually.

Article.		1916–17.		1917–18.		1918–19.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
			£		£		£
Ale and Beer—Bottled	gal.	256,332	57,037	49,785	15,026	39,863	14,421
Bulk	,,	175	17	...	...	...	...
Apparel and Attire ...	—	...	981,342	...	771,004	...	998,337
Socks and Stockings ..	—	...	425,160	...	334,487	...	745,536
Bags and Sacks—							
Bran, Chaff, &c. ...	doz.	275,279	89,660	294,550	109,756	505,743	237,682
Corn and Flour ...	,,	1,698,512	587,832	1,131,340	437,283	1,202,305	596,921
Woolpacks	No.	968,111	141,716	885,250	159,203	3,133,572	643,830
Other	—	...	15,057	...	7,910	...	7,013
Bags, Purses, N.E.I. ...	—	...	110,975	...	68,021	...	62,104
Blankets, and Blanketing	—	...	61,271	...	5,697	...	6,128
Books (Printed) &c. ...	—	...	205,298	...	225,623	...	305,697
Boots and Shoes ...	—	...	228,857	...	131,398	...	113,213
Bullion—							
Gold—Bar, Ingot, &c.	oz.	49,699	198,454	*	*	*	*
Silver—Bar, Ingot, &c.	,,	3,539	496	494,763	95,403	...	77,590
Canvas and Duck ...	—	...	212,911	...	158,624	...	336,015
Carpets and Carpeting	—	...	168,422	...	177,138	...	226,716
Cement (Portland) ...	cwt.	1,957	306	14	2	113	94
Clocks and Watches ...	—	...	130,452	...	94,347	...	158,650
Cocoa and Chocolate ...	lb	2,221,400	181,835	1,868,270	77,107	3,926,246	162,556
Confectionery, N.E.I.	,,	1,015,290	51,577	167,217	11,035	6,421	708
Copper—							
Pipes and Tubes (plain)	cwt.	1,807	14,600	599	7,769	1,500	19,289
Copra	,,	248,247	281,417	508,791	642,200	614,942	797,993
Cordage and Twines—							
Sewing Silks, &c. ...	—	...	292,916	...	322,841	...	466,897
Cosies, Cushions, Quilts	—	...	41,475	...	165,910	...	256,043
Cutlery, N.E.I. ...	—	...	135,987	...	135,527	...	186,096
Drugs and Chemicals—							
Cream of Tartar ...	cwt.	8,672	51,206	14,036	181,909	14,467	267,352
Other	—	...	192,590	...	149,878	...	284,110
Earthenware, &c. ...	—	...	88,382	...	81,315	...	101,831
Electrical Articles—							
Cable and Wire covered	cwt.	27,974	192,222	10,965	118,402	41,774	334,718
Fancy Goods	—	...	153,190	...	165,274	...	277,029
Fish—Preserved in tins, &c.	lb.	8,616,430	308,588	9,803,655	457,843	4,181,942	212,728
Floor Cloths and Linoleums—		...	206,154	...	174,362	...	230,472
Fruits, Fresh—Apples	centals	44,173	55,844	17,230	20,606	...	...
Bananas	,,	254,323	138,553	124,280	78,664	59,577	46,708
Other	—	...	17,731	...	1,722	...	379
Furniture	—	...	25,936	...	17,495	...	27,078
Gloves	—	...	97,747	...	121,626	...	138,818
Grain—Maize ...	centals	19,547	6,951	1,805	761	75,484	41,265
Oats	,,	201	110	235	158	14,837	8,635
Rice	,,	232,232	129,282	473,356	266,636	156,529	156,763
Hats and Caps	—	...	151,111	...	125,160	...	107,214
Hessians	—	...	172,198	...	187,260	...	361,557
Instruments—							
Kinematographs, &c.	—	...	261,279	...	4,840	...	7,431
Pianos	No.	4,465	130,827	5,243	165,133	3,550	151,836
Parts	—	...	31,628	...	42,496	...	64,662
Iron and Steel—							
Bar, Rod, Angle, Tee	cwt.	474,982	422,261	97,448	132,445	117,571	165,844
Girders, Beams ...	,,	75,348	58,165	38,752	38,808	29,134	30,170
Pig	,,	64,379	20,435	21,428	12,381	12,571	5,773
Plate and Sheet—							
Galvanised ...	,,	207,625	339,427	100,352	229,343	248,396	605,042
Not galvanised ...	,,	170,064	131,743	47,990	69,000	258,228	339,217
Jewellery	—	...	86,186	...	66,142	...	64,519
Precious stones, unset	—	...	164,590	...	215,235	...	231,760
Leather	—	...	213,840	...	119,563	...	169,827
Machines and Machinery—							
Agricultural ...	—	...	229,760	...	210,114	...	410,524
Electrical	—	...	410,570	...	271,775	...	571,607
Engines	—	...	116,504	...	78,429	...	99,284
Mining	—	...	23,234	...	29,810	...	37,626
Motive Power ...	—	...	96,914	...	83,808	...	104,143

* Information not published.

No. 13.—Principal Articles Imported Oversea, Annually—*continued.*

Article.		1916-17.		1917-18.		1918-19.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Machines and Machinery—			£		£		£
Sewing	—	...	109,004	...	107,765	...	182,665
Other	—	...	883,010	...	670,918	...	925,360
Matches	—	...	40,745	...	83,366	...	188,187
Medicines	—	...	251,954	...	272,510	...	299,973
Metals, Manufactures—							
Pipes and Tubes ...	—	...	299,080	...	196,690	...	462,517
Wire	—	...	173,831	...	241,678	...	226,326
Wire Netting ...	—	...	2,896	...	483	...	7,079
Miscellaneous ...	—	...	979,111	...	775,726	...	1,146,980
Oils in Bulk—							
Benzine	gal.	5,168,196	388,026	5,194,734	395,466	8,177,280	673,733
Benzoline, &c. ...	„	1,516,901	110,694	1,494,129	119,897		
Kerosene	„	6,050,952	166,569	5,033,947	160,683	5,110,598	212,273
Lubricating Mineral	„	2,633,720	158,955	2,772,229	236,935	3,884,891	403,901
Paints & Colours prep'd for use	cwt.	15,460	42,876	5,407	17,777	6,010	26,379
Paper—Printing ...	—	...	728,682	...	477,082	...	501,377
Writing ...	—	...	207,358	...	155,259	...	410,128
Piece Goods—							
Cotton, Linen ...	—	...	2,534,328	...	2,715,357	...	5,201,199
Flannels	—	...	67,704	...	7,801	...	4,257
Horsehair Cloth ...	—	...	17,539	...	15,795	...	41,364
Rubbered Waterproof	—	...	12,794	...	21,854	...	49,942
Silk	—	...	704,941	...	1,045,885	...	1,389,681
Velvets, Velveteens	—	...	313,289	...	402,720	..	141,624
Woollens	—	...	1,296,101	...	857,014	..	1,106,565
N.E.I.	—	...	195,858	...	118,001	..	214,255
Other	—	...	103,257	...	123,191	..	124,042
Rails, Fish Plates, &c.	—	...	11,123	...	1,044	...	460
Rubber Manufactures	—	...	493,006	...	438,735	..	607,708
Specie—Bronze ...	—	...	207	...	60	..	...
Gold ...	—	...	...	...	*	..	*
Silver ...	—	...	26,910	...	46,422	...	24,760
Spirits—Brandy, bottled	gal.	25,725	26,151	7,408	10,119	2,936	5,555
„ bulk	„	138,826	78,624	25,840	20,087	10,936	16,274
Gin—British ...	„	59,448	23,379	16,706	11,388	9,154	11,563
Hollands, Geneva	„	30,188	9,454	5,984	3,186	1,309	970
Schnapps ...	„	68,673	26,649	21,532	9,227	10,387	11,393
Rum—Bottled ...	„	1,241	1,299	...	...	204	306
„ Bulk ...	„	27,982	10,097	28,987	13,040	8,830	5,711
Whisky—Bottled ...	„	25,176	21,062	18,213	14,640	4,997	4,572
„ Bulk ...	„	916,877	613,021	564,966	404,886	482,014	558,597
Stationery	—	.....	180,883	...	141,633	...	214,454
Sugar—Cane	cwt.	1,031,892	975,286	224,719	207,014	186,124	183,162
Tea	lb.	19,373,545	859,117	18,364,306	797,177	22,206,304	1,021,599
Timber—							
Dressed N.E.I. ...	sup. ft.	770,865	13,605	118,780	2,064	92,778	1,567
Logs not sawn ...	„	598,289	4,739	264,911	1,987	24,664	1,633
N.Z. White Pine ...	„	42,044,303	276,912	33,714,917	260,844	31,076,645	320,864
Undressed N.E.I. ...	„	73,527,824	600,641	59,915,099	551,319	51,973,868	760,763
Tobacco—							
Manufactured N.E.I.	lb.	1,330,271	99,676	798,919	65,216	1,025,927	110,351
Unmanufactured ...	„	7,808,105	454,119	3,605,843	281,606	10,406,878	1,122,607
Cigars	„	82,128	49,028	86,299	48,728	61,804	52,495
Cigarettes	„	81,268	30,523	53,417	22,459	41,464	25,315
Tools of Trade, not being machines		...	241,304	...	187,951	...	412,529
Trimmings and Ornaments	—	...	167,372	...	178,918	...	352,931
Vehicles—							
Bicycles, &c., and parts	—	...	126,466	...	114,886	...	156,675
Motor Car Bodies ...	—	...	111,104	...	116,872	...	55,560
„ Chassis ...	—	...	425,430	...	435,808	...	606,067
Other Vehicles and parts	—	...	206,182	...	154,280	...	177,149
Wines—Sparkling ...	gal.	9,753	20,807	5,108	11,598	4,122	8,345
Still, bottled...	„	19,397	14,705	16,354	12,512	11,814	10,773
Still, bulk ...	„	7,614	2,580	3,823	1,858	3,195	1,415
Yarns	—	...	326,265	...	192,964	...	330,144
All other Articles ...	—	...	7,085,691	...	6,342,524	...	10,343,207
Total	£	...	32,742,297	...	28,447,579†	...	43,592,732†

* Information not published. † Exclusive of gold.

No.14.—Principal Articles Exported Oversea, Annually.

Article.	1916-17.		1917-18.		1918-19.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£		£
Ale and Beer—Bottled ... gal.	143,357	24,729	193,814	34,081	184,296	48,233
Bulk ... ... „	111,105	10,110	25,339	2,106	19,756	2,139
Ammonium, Sulphate ... cwt	68,808	73,203	84,050	156,101	128,373	231,430
Animals Living—						
Cattle, ordinary ... No.	128	2,759	107	1,975	605	4,355
Horses, ordinary ... „	3,310	75,944	3,840	102,254	3,788	84,101
Sheep, ordinary ... „	1,441	3,000	1,652	3,419	1,399	3,540
Sheep, breeding ... „	277	5,477	522	6,177	1,452	11,203
Apparel and Attire ... —	...	101,498	...	180,608	...	335,940
Biscuits ... ... lb.	3,227,998	49,504	18,751,712	296,972	10,677,090	257,647
Boats, Launches ... ... —	...	4,357	...	7,942	...	9,517
Bones ... ... cwt.	9,881	8,416	7,160	9,651	13,541	14,277
Books—printed ... ... —	...	35,306	...	22,136	...	28,299
Boots and Shoes—Leather —	...	37,253	...	73,054	...	163,383
Bullion—						
Gold—Bar, Ingot, etc. oz.	374	1,479	*	*	*	*
In Matte ... „	32,024	126,607	*	*	*	*
Silver—Bar, Ingot, etc. „	358,992	54,410	2,342,119	444,983	6,182,161	1,262,230
In Matte ... „	2,178,451	313,990	903,095	162,488	...	...
Butter ... ... lb.	24,493,305	1,707,616	25,238,466	1,706,396	8,055,993	631,188
Cheese ... ... „	1,847,267	72,483	1,553,075	66,974	387,219	27,791
Coal ... ... ton	646,547	415,549	355,955	259,588	528,060	387,379
Coke ... ... „	34,709	52,238	37,299	54,663	34,031	50,486
Concentrates—						
Silver, Silver Lead ... cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tin ... ... „	...	...	...	...	...	...
Zinc ... ... „	100,469	33,017	62,445	21,827	155,640	57,798
Other ... ... „	656	8,456	1,504	15,371	1,164	12,149
Confectionery ... ... lb.	281,897	15,788	651,825	35,129	906,472	62,011
Copper—Ingots ... ... cwt.	676,181	4,072,056	493,632	2,836,295	395,622	2,083,424
In Matte ... „	14,494	65,364	...	...	...	...
Drugs and Chemicals, n.e.i. —	...	32,689	...	38,510	...	86,854
Fruits, Dried—						
Currants ... ... lb.	2,520,065	60,908	1,739,743	48,259	375,428	11,032
Raisins ... ... „	485,551	14,384	424,739	12,051	196,755	6,341
Fruits, Fresh—						
Apples ... centals	7,414	7,245	2,601	3,428	2,886	3,601
Citrus ... ... „	24,293	23,489	23,775	21,380	23,406	29,160
Furniture ... ... —	...	10,757	...	10,587	...	11,798
Glue Pieces, Sinews ... cwt.	17,636	12,987	7,522	9,852	2,974	4,949
Glycerine, unrefined ... lb.	423,427	12,976	697,479	21,841	807,912	30,518
Grain—						
Maize ... ... centals	25,223	10,849	55,827	22,116	43,648	19,482
Oats ... ... „	36,694	14,988	9,021	4,211	9,187	6,020
Wheat ... ... „	10,960,345	4,612,327	3,449,644	1,423,046	6,905,445	3,015,028
Bran, Pollard, Sharps... „	123,020	40,745	109,213	38,854	101,661	37,628
Flour (Wheaten) ... „	1,931,994	1,189,396	2,327,235	1,542,833	2,941,770	1,934,752
Hair—Other ... ... lb.	324,441	13,560	232,588	14,337	257,634	17,024
Hats, Caps, Bonnets ... —	...	12,762	...	25,397	...	41,052
Hay and Chaff ... ... cwt.	2,859	774	2,203	731	4,290	1,542
Hoofs ... ... „	3,026	2,212	2,696	2,610	4,383	5,465
Horns ... ... —	...	2,826	...	11,815	...	9,044
Jams and Jellies... ... lb.	13,000,812	280,951	14,570,478	278,333	22,233,125	533,262
Jewellery ... ... —	...	4,194	...	1,365	...	16,214
Precious Stones, unset —	...	7,141	...	8,349	...	31,834
Lard ... ... lb.	561,659	17,735	718,712	27,022	2,467,332	87,955
Lead—In Matte ... ... cwt	529,580	614,072	297,420	372,718	...	...
Pig ... ... „	1,604,677	2,385,305	1,681,966	2,500,364	1,825,906	2,546,163
Sheet and Piping ... „	12,714	22,006	17,624	32,083	21,974	41,583
Leather ... ... —	...	623,220	...	489,876	...	1,159,536
Leather Manufactures, n.e.i.—	...	12,554	...	18,417	...	15,144
Manures—Bonedust ... cwt.	35,507	12,295	17,049	7,145	34,722	18,516
Superphosphates ... „	171,557	37,719	245,554	58,888	128,573	35,470

* Information not published.

No. 14.—Principal Articles Exported Oversea, Annually—*continued.*

Article.	1916-17.		1917-18.		1918-19.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£		£
Meats—Bacon and Hams lb.	234,076	9,954	2,559,406	160,205	3,834,179	248,816
Preserved by cold process—						
Beef ... ... lb.	10,453,222	227,147	4,084,603	95,689	2,392,695	58,863
Mutton ... ... car.	430,780	494,300	134,957	172,871	318,851	359,796
lb.	22,088,432		7,490,484		16,323,795	
Lamb ... ... car.	210,022	207,111	31,428	34,286	85,861	79,125
lb.	7,939,660		1,230,337		3,066,012	
Rabbits and Hares... prs	10,718,922	760,331	8,978,377	670,269	3,956,877	221,632
Potted, Concentrated... —	...	62,744	...	134,336	...	223,946
Preserved in tins, &c.... lb.	8,365,107	386,097	22,025,688	1,254,661	34,733,340	2,041,430
Medicines... ... ... —	...	58,348	...	77,501	...	92,175
Metals — Antimony and Compounds ... ... —	...	18,489	...	2,524	...	1,887
Metal Manufactures ... —	...	175,957	...	171,539	...	624,502
Oils—Cocoanut ... ... cwt.	29,505	79,852	45,331	127,332	46,089	136,087
Onions ... ... ,,	63,035	25,654	30,807	16,845	15,340	15,920
Ores—Copper ... ... ,,	...	...	1,004	622	...	...
Gold Ore, &c. ... ... ,,	...	...	...	...	...	...
Molybdenite ... ... ,,	3,525	80,680	3,341	72,523	3,792	81,391
Silver and Silver-Lead ,,	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tin ... ... ,,	24,665	147,165	1,013	7,359	...	...
Wolfram ... ... ,,	19,651	181,048	18,419	161,400	17,017	149,674
Other ... ... —	...	37,466	...	59,873	...	62,207
Potatoes ... ... cwt.	52,583	21,762	39,241	15,259	54,231	27,236
Rubber Manufactures ... —	...	65,314	...	77,665	...	66,706
Sausage Casings ... ... —	...	62,393	...	36,437	...	130,984
Seeds ... ... —	...	26,497	...	39,769	...	34,100
Skins and Hides—						
Cattle ... ... No.	60,436	110,044	73,373	173,567	137,579	310,417
Horse ... ... ,,	175	166	16	20	540	459
Rabbit and Hare ... lb.	4,721,480	392,453	6,993,612	1,037,444	10,111,022	1,103,768
Sheep with Wool ... No.	700,620	208,075	566,051	166,769	1,348,081	403,923
Sheep without Wool... ,,	1,509,432	109,817	475,574	43,282	514,691	64,780
Other ... ... —	...	288,771	...	487,704	...	546,343
Soap—Toilet, Fancy ... lb.	152,354	9,964	217,594	17,270	286,011	27,353
Other ... ... ,,	2,624,394	51,844	3,804,034	84,331	3,935,931	84,424
Specie—Bronze ... ... —	...	16	...	65	...	35
Gold ... ... —	...	10,978,084	...	*	...	*
Silver ... ... —	...	33,797	...	119,318	...	77,351
Stationery ... ... —	...	17,502	...	21,067	...	28,169
Sugar—Cane ... ... cwt.	21,708	24,203	41,252	45,653	40,282	51,692
Tallow, unrefined ... ,,	225,522	498,124	170,795	409,845	388,889	880,914
Timber—Dressed ... s.ft.	252,901	3,421	220,273	3,285	201,039	3,659
Undressed ... ... ,,	11,776,202	134,654	11,381,023	170,839	8,951,744	140,863
Logs, not sawn ... ,,	99,509	877	245,860	1,995	177,898	1,115
Tin Ingots.. ... ... cwt.	47,368	448,158	68,222	997,724	61,715	951,929
Tobacco — Manufactured lb.	993,866	82,058	1,171,527	115,799	857,342	102,279
Cigarettes ... ... ,,	60,992	18,724	87,351	30,252	171,951	52,025
Wines—Sparkling ... gal.	2,489	4,791	3,861	6,739	6,497	14,769
Still, bottled ... ... ,,	29,179	10,997	62,161	34,718	74,107	54,495
Still, bulk ... ... ,,	119,559	23,729	80,051	18,630	218,149	53,960
Wood, Articles—Casks, Shooks	...	5,016	...	1,090	...	1,926
Other ... ... —	...	18,160	...	16,214	...	23,172
Wool—Greasy ... bale	480,416	10,403,056	345,237	7,769,366	615,429	13,432,246
lb.	157,806,810		113,453,002		201,732,162	
Scoured and Washed bale	98,450	2,191,868	142,340	3,120,835	206,014	4,387,148
lb.	23,969,500		33,294,403		48,302,750	
Tops ... ... lb.	4,869,452	1,204,570	4,571,357	1,510,799	2,669,275	898,659
All other Articles ... —	...	2,414,601	...	3,589,294	...	4,978,680
Total ... ... £	...	50,290,824	...	36,929,487†	...	48,858,517†

* Information not published. † Exclusive of gold.

No. 15.—Imports Oversea during the March quarters, 1919 and 1920, and during nine months ended 31st March, 1919 and 1920.

Article Imported.	Quarter ended 31st March.				Nine months ended 31st March.			
	1919.		1920.		1919.		1920.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£		£		£
Ale, Beer—Bottled ... gal.	3,104	2,034	22,480	10,141	31,413	12,295	45,380	19,465
Bulk ... „	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Apparel and Attire ... —	...	343,075	...	286,910	...	752,412	...	564,289
Socks and Stockings ... —	...	248,944	...	118,172	...	540,001	...	375,863
Bags and Sacks—Bran, Chaff, &c. doz	83,604	42,119	154,717	104,323	312,564	160,188	273,552	174,546
Corn and Flour ... „	423,075	86,384	32,625	25,070	1,420,655	568,077	116,325	82,901
Woolpacks ... „	28,957	86,894	6,458	4,213	1,635,815	415,098	44,242	115,691
Other ... „	8,425	2,752	1,000	379	22,741	6,986	5,994	1,799
Bags, Purses, n.e.i. ... —	...	14,557	...	13,255	...	45,377	..	46,671
Blankets and Blanketing ... —	...	1,650	...	4,671	...	14,772	...	6,911
Books (printed), &c. ... —	...	118,260	...	83,042	...	251,961	...	236,345
Boots and Shoes ... ... —	...	33,461	...	24,066	...	82,135	...	125,712
Bullion—Gold—Bar, ingot &c. oz.	...	*	...	*	...	*	...	*
Silver „ „ „	102,632	29,668	1,406	476	309,466	77,055	3,008	765
Canvas and Duck ... ... —	...	75,581	...	127,386	...	204,324	...	287,794
Carpets and Carpeting ... —	...	98,462	...	9,797	...	225,041	...	57,210
Cement (Portland) ... cwt	...	...	...	...	2	8	12	9
Clocks and Watches ... —	...	44,075	...	40,035	...	98,799	...	112,363
Cocoa and Chocolate ... lb.	914,567	39,231	1,240,257	79,001	2,522,694	95,524	2,884,063	199,378
Confectionery, n.e.i. ... „	1,919	212	1,657	253	4,994	549	6,810	796
Copper, Pipes and Tubes (plain) cwt.	493	7,021	1,271	13,693	1,191	16,439	5,274	48,470
Copra ... ... „	113,041	143,816	56,025	105,766	450,327	570,431	375,181	677,603
Cordage & Twines—Sewing Silks, &c.—	...	79,342	...	115,246	...	269,396	...	259,301
Counterpanes, Table Covers Cosies, Cushions, &c. ... —	...	55,140	...	36,151	...	185,061	...	86,993
Cutlery, n.e.i. ... ... —	...	51,374	...	60,042	...	139,085	...	164,296
Drugs and Chemicals—								
Cream of Tartar ... ... cwt.	2,414	52,179	706	9,293	11,940	221,195	1,140	18,021
Earthenware, &c. ... ... —	...	22,446	...	26,771	...	79,570	...	70,631
Electrical—Cable and Wire, covered ... cwt.	7,537	69,138	5,934	46,364	26,056	222,723	18,162	169,880
Fancy Goods ... ... —	...	47,351	...	42,816	...	169,015	...	112,428
Fish—Preserved in tins, &c. lb.	404,433	24,757	4,040,800	209,555	2,021,453	107,773	6,572,508	369,451
Floor Cloths and Coverings —	...	68,254	...	28,743	...	175,447	...	79,515
Fruits, fresh—Apples ... cntl.	...	...	...	...	6,826	441	...	...
Bananas ... ... „	7,413	5,451	710	983	44,272	32,512	7,674	24,236
Other ... ... —	...	48	...	13,831	...	71	...	16,399
Furniture ... ... —	...	6,738	...	13,027	...	18,147	...	27,196
Gloves ... ... —	...	56,649	...	20,816	...	129,735	...	63,249
Grain—Maize ... ... cntl.	7,751	5,882	21,442	15,513	12,369	8,499	193,573	113,673
Oats ... ... „	31	34	9,325	6,465	31	34	50,383	34,270
Rice ... ... „	4,043	5,624	9,227	34,613	54,438	37,465	49,387	92,446
Hats and Caps ... ... —	...	23,748	...	35,192	...	79,115	...	86,289
Hessians and Jute piece Goods—	...	67,541	...	144,257	...	653,374	...	187,623
Instruments—Kinematographs, &c.—	...	2,329	...	2,631	...	7,337	...	5,230
Pianos ... ... No.	810	39,680	361	19,316	2,404	101,892	1,674	89,167
Parts ... ... —	...	18,647	...	15,210	...	50,065	...	39,746
Iron and Steel—								
Bar, Rod, Angle, Tee ... cwt.	25,428	47,312	32,908	62,101	64,338	103,725	163,528	216,206
Girders, Beams, &c. ... „	6,236	7,471	33,324	30,246	20,089	24,380	81,578	73,954
Pig ... ... „	2,021	1,052	17,890	7,377	7,621	3,553	44,862	38,802
Plate and Sheet—Galvanised „	44,676	101,058	105,116	234,559	104,073	295,611	358,048	713,588
Not galvanised ... „	80,846	117,668	64,464	84,599	149,342	231,655	270,098	302,094
Jewellery ... ... —	...	16,938	...	17,299	...	38,970	...	44,460
Cameos and Precious Stones, unset	...	31,668	...	104,281	...	185,181	...	253,578
Leather ... ... —	...	75,696	...	50,232	...	116,411	...	151,074
Machines and Machinery—								
Agricultural ... ... —	...	76,176	...	58,086	...	156,442	...	150,669
Electrical ... ... —	...	145,545	...	112,052	...	340,072	...	416,368
Engines ... ... —	...	36,326	...	35,471	...	60,314	...	124,465
Mining ... ... —	...	16,207	...	4,057	...	26,981	...	29,028
Motive Power ... ... —	...	12,582	...	48,507	...	74,190	...	182,421
Sewing ... ... —	...	53,009	...	14,852	...	124,723	...	76,703
Other ... ... —	...	230,968	...	234,443	...	672,866	...	830,037

* Information not published.

No. 15.—Imports Oversea during the March Quarters 1919 and 1920, and during nine months ended 31st March, 1919 and 1920—*continued.*

Article Imported.	Quarter ended 31st March.				Nine Months ended 31st March.			
	1919.		1920.		1919.		1920.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£		£		£
Matches ... ...gross boxes	35,637	8,643	79,189	15,076	720,503	132,733	146,213	39,911
Medicines ... ... —	...	34,972	...	45,002	...	126,180	...	118,258
Metals, Manufactures—Pipes and Tubes ... ... —	...	126,920	...	45,886	...	209,966	...	248,949
Wire ... ... —	...	70,461	...	53,568	...	151,513	...	206,802
Wire Netting ... ... —	...	1,576	...	10,042	...	2,979	...	20,259
Miscellaneous ... ... —	...	469,416	...	325,792	...	1,004,483	...	858,476
Oils in Bulk—								
Petroleum Spirit, Benzine, &c. gal.	1,557,621	135,515	2,233,958	219,742	9,010,172	411,380	6,629,391	612,538
Kerosene ... ... „	1,365,455	56,741	1,249,188	64,661	3,574,433	131,191	4,444,341	213,745
Lubricating (Mineral) ... „	926,877	89,924	387,947	46,212	2,637,669	277,919	1,041,869	114,985
Paints and Colours (prepared)... cwt.	531	4,269	1,576	5,185	2,480	13,529	5,205	20,609
Paper—Printing ... ... —	...	118,468	...	169,053	...	397,817	...	367,560
Writing and Typewriting —	...	64,350	...	39,948	...	167,165	...	132,859
Piece Goods—Cotton ... —	...	1,337,755	...	665,787	...	3,881,119	...	1,654,614
Linen ... ... —	...	36,280	...	10,119	...	135,147	...	35,592
Flannels ... ... —	...	683	...	639	...	3,611	...	834
Horsehair Cloth ... ... —	...	10,017	...	4,016	...	40,675	...	12,717
Rubbered Waterproof ... —	...	20,367	...	3,526	...	37,852	...	12,833
Silk ... ... —	...	307,287	...	306,457	...	1,099,934	...	792,103
Velvets, Velveteens ... —	...	181,256	...	65,915	...	374,678	...	154,308
Woollens ... ... —	...	389,147	...	345,072	...	784,375	...	699,877
N.E.I. ... ... —	...	54,006	...	47,540	...	280,267	...	69,152
Other ... ... —	...	37,142	...	35,967	...	120,337	...	89,013
Rails, Fishplates, &c. ... —	...	...	...	758	...	9	...	2,336
Rubber Manufactures ... —	...	29,150	...	23,068	...	64,906	...	66,141
Specie—Bronze ... ... —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gold ... ... —	...	*	...	*	...	*	...	*
Silver ... ... —	...	10,400	...	3,601	...	16,760	...	6,639
Spirits—Brandy, Bottled ... gal.	96	179	3,545	7,046	2,715	5,009	6,867	14,658
Brandy, Bulk ... ... „	29	155	282	825	10,936	16,274	6,335	7,963
Gin—British ... ... „	1,264	1,901	6,519	6,693	6,708	9,203	10,634	11,076
Hollands and Geneva... „	...	...	5,556	5,636	1,327	1,394	6,368	6,094
Schnapps ... ... „	...	...	11,597	14,903	162	319	19,681	25,686
Rum, Bottled ... ... „	...	...	150	205	92	107	187	305
Rum, Bulk ... ... „	6,850	6,154	1,098	873	6,850	6,154	3,514	3,428
Whisky, Bottled... ... „	178	323	22,549	34,196	37,982	11,601	30,681	43,992
Whisky, Bulk ... ... „	144,019	177,956	62,488	91,322	383,426	447,355	94,230	133,502
Stationery ... ... —	...	47,332	...	39,075	...	146,477	...	120,271
Sugar—Cane ... ... cwt.	3,650	3,061	68,204	63,515	51,097	47,884	194,287	189,630
Tea ... ... lb.	2,370,949	93,401	8,269,951	647,456	10,574,617	949,142	20,521,651	1,313,791
Timber—Dressed, n.e.i. sup. ft.	140	4	81,325	1,140	27,169	661	158,802	1,880
Logs, not sawn ... „	19,037	569	862,033	22,063	29,342	1,320	1,720,957	35,985
N.Z. White Pine... „	9,449,326	104,634	11,125,115	133,870	23,865,960	230,849	24,582,493	279,299
Undressed, n.e.i. ... „	10,623,865	167,368	12,154,725	251,897	39,855,455	596,772	32,537,387	633,091
Tobacco—Manufactured, n.e.i. lb.	105,876	28,946	207,655	26,361	496,844	74,101	341,225	43,527
Unmanufactured... ... „	993,206	85,024	1,280,169	234,379	2,238,466	205,818	2,665,102	444,523
Cigars ... ... „	19,816	18,637	18,317	22,784	40,789	32,556	35,359	35,895
Cigarettes... ... ... „	10,569	5,958	11,154	8,680	27,180	15,236	31,647	21,511
Tools of Trade ... ... —	...	118,450	...	52,231	...	268,171	...	249,368
Trimmings and Ornaments —	...	115,508	...	49,828	...	279,739	...	143,580
Vehicles, Bicycles, &c., and parts —	...	42,597	...	18,017	...	102,441	...	76,063
Motor-car Bodies ... —	...	12,347	...	14,519	...	43,682	...	41,115
Motor-car Chassis ... —	...	143,961	...	313,556	...	437,024	...	804,332
Other Vehicles and parts —	...	59,993	...	66,868	...	132,756	...	213,284
Wines—Sparkling ... ...gal.	202	706	3,138	11,280	5,349	8,871	7,656	25,277
Still, bottled ... ... „	2,373	2,773	3,400	3,622	9,304	12,537	8,120	8,991
Still, bulk... ... ... „	880	213	1,702	1,370	1,579	437	2,381	1,806
Yarns ... ... —	...	96,413	...	53,499	...	215,513	...	130,599
All other Articles ... ... —	...	2,667,445	...	3,020,013	..	8,254,295	...	7,364,762
Total ... ... £	...	†10,687,007	...	†10,816,000	...	†31,700,721	...	†27,826,462

* Information not published. † Exclusive of Gold.

No. 16.—Exports Oversea during the March Quarters, 1919 and 1920, and during nine months ended 31st March, 1919 and 1920.

Article Exported.	Quarter ended 31st March.				Nine Months ended 31st March.			
	1919.		1920.		1919.		1920.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£		£		£
Ale, Beer—Bottled ... gal.	41,919	12,595	41,082	13,418	150,834	38,410	202,109	58,978
Bulk ... ... „	3,087	273	1,307	109	18,639	2,046	7,759	675
Ammonium—Sulphate ... cwt.	14,400	25,296	19,964	27,492	99,148	190,709	74,469	95,070
Animals, Living—								
Cattle, Ordinary ... ... No.	258	1,757	47	729	500	3,618	224	2,604
Horses, Ordinary ... ... „	338	17,043	481	15,371	3,773	82,303	1,135	54,908
Sheep, Ordinary ... ... „	651	1,868	210	474	1,173	3,161	1,022	1,968
Sheep, Breeding ... ... „	355	1,521	240	5,124	855	5,982	333	9,208
Apparel and Attire ... ... —	...	18,121	...	67,326	...	181,431	...	164,110
Biscuits ... ... lb.	1,812,990	55,819	1,442,473	37,454	9,364,588	224,034	4,307,344	102,790
Boats, Launches, &c. ... —	...	2,374	...	3,558	...	6,452	...	9,595
Bones ... ... cwt.	1,842	2,181	5,252	6,574	11,010	12,630	12,805	14,038
Books (Printed) ... ... —	...	9,487	...	12,796	...	19,974	...	27,880
Boots, Shoes—Leather ... —	...	37,969	...	94,434	...	103,164	...	201,619
Bullion—								
Gold—Bar, Ingot, &c. ... oz.	...	*	...	*	...	*	...	*
In Matte ... ... „	...	*	...	*	...	*	...	*
Silver—Bar, Ingot, &c. ... „	1,291,598	267,529	217,802	80,507	4,948,318	1,011,332	1,074,179	298,554
In Matte ... ... „	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Butter ... ... lb.	2,535,996	195,968	3,268,023	269,361	5,762,427	440,154	5,706,645	467,069
Cheese ... ... „	122,038	7,573	180,131	13,303	284,086	19,856	401,453	30,479
Coal ... ... tons	175,072	130,694	231,688	184,516	357,047	261,759	663,638	543,183
Coke ... ... „	14,232	20,414	10,602	18,890	28,129	40,359	22,465	39,429
Concentrates—								
Silver, Silver-Lead ... cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tin ... ... „	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Zinc ... ... „	...	...	53,180	12,101	155,640	57,798	53,180	12,101
Other ... ... „	318	4,335	340	4,090	903	10,153	1,333	14,661
Confectionery ... ... lb.	261,099	18,731	295,387	21,173	639,932	43,549	706,935	56,799
Copper—Ingots ... ... cwt.	123,770	679,442	44,122	228,433	243,780	1,879,447	303,572	1,420,860
In Matte ... ... „	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Drugs, Chemicals, n.e.i. ... —	...	20,610	...	14,019	...	73,748	...	36,931
Fruits, Dried—Currants ... lb.	11,311	453	96,722	2,802	195,478	6,425	404,510	12,027
Raisins ... ... „	36,803	1,451	56,935	2,130	161,111	5,188	383,110	13,982
Fruits, Fresh—Apples ... cntl.	332	491	516	682	2,398	2,859	1,343	2,125
Citrus ... ... „	1,944	3,262	358	604	23,053	28,635	10,059	17,348
Furniture ... ... —	...	3,170	...	6,203	...	9,532	...	14,402
Glue Pieces, Sinews ... cwt.	1,462	2,344	1,493	2,861	2,043	3,815	2,363	4,598
Glycerine, unrefined ... lb.	370,244	11,593	...	...	660,884	26,718	203,836	4,685
Grain—								
Maize ... ... cntl.	2,006	1,222	158	150	43,239	19,189	2,398	1,909
Oats ... ... „	1,239	787	293	248	5,567	5,300	3,331	2,651
Wheat ... ... „	1,845,609	835,104	57,233	24,378	3,500,823	1,590,247	1,781,291	741,154
Bran, Pollard, Sharps ... „	25,590	9,726	25,659	16,266	77,592	27,908	81,831	42,200
Flour (Wheaten) ... ... „	776,815	507,494	345,591	329,406	1,936,316	1,175,264	1,786,504	1,421,703
Hair ... ... lb.	31,807	2,047	176,499	14,635	104,973	8,030	322,654	26,321
Hats, Caps and Bonnets ... —	...	5,791	...	33,642	...	29,391	...	75,760
Hay and Chaff ... ... cwt.	689	317	454	297	3,034	1,060	1,473	932
Hoofs ... ... „	485	623	1,145	1,680	3,417	4,473	3,516	4,459
Horns ... ... —	...	4,214	...	7,974	...	14,585	...	18,816
Jams and Jellies ... ... lb.	8,305,530	194,742	1,516,065	39,692	13,414,800	304,549	5,384,257	142,323
Jewellery ... ... —	...	1,717	...	3,724	...	8,923	...	14,891
Precious Stones, unset ... —	...	17,071	...	4,764	...	24,332	...	22,011
Lard ... ... lb.	777,973	24,932	848,798	39,644	1,825,836	66,090	4,009,359	183,478
Lead—In Matte ... ... cwt.	...	...	368450	400318	...	...	...	...
Pig ... ... „	674,747	951,900	353,453	874,071	1,535,304	2,171,399	1,048,712	1,838,951
Sheet and Piping ... ... „	2,542	5,180	2,528	5,354	16,289	31,255	9,335	17,828
Leather ... ... —	...	331,830	...	266,133	...	535,366	...	916,308
Leather Manufactures, n.e.i. —	...	3,450	...	3,953	...	9,464	...	12,925
Manures—								
Bonedust ... ... cwt.	13,942	7,538	35,864	22,730	29,869	15,988	88,714	49,732
Superphosphates ... ... „	23,080	6,020	304	86	98,063	27,325	46,504	12,789

*Information not published.

No. 16.—Exports Oversea during the March Quarters 1919 and 1920, and during nine months ended 31st March, 1919 and 1920—*continued.*

Article Exported.	Quarter ended 31st March.				Nine Months ended 31st March.			
	1919.		1920.		1919.		1920.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£		£		£
Meats—Bacon and Hams ... lb.	499,822	29,877	208,984	17,442	3,475,293	222,070	1,044,088	77,506
Preserved by cold process—								
Beef ... ... „	677,781	18,161	1,379,795	32,872	2,131,965	51,549	2,694,924	69,154
Mutton ... ... car.	174,359	195,551	187,828	198,664	245,008	278,753	620,304	638,430
lb.	9,087,219		9,130,869		12,677,082		29,127,181	
Lamb ... ... car.	32,396	28,758	33,748	22,079	58,805	56,436	239,543	196,912
lb.	1,136,542		845,220		2,193,950		7,675,834	
Rabbits and Hares ... pr.	2,959,690	159,162	3,344,743	333,657	3,932,497	219,966	6,831,884	530,435
Potted, Concentrated ... —	...	61,331	...	9,009	...	201,230	...	68,638
Preserved in tins, &c. ... lb.	11,134,710	631,954	2,351,104	122,977	29,872,124	1,769,937	18,609,557	1,121,507
Medicines ... ... —	...	29,077	...	29,405	...	70,569	...	96,411
Metals—								
Antimony and Compounds—	...	335	...	23	...	1,569	...	575
Metal Manufactures ... —	...	135,076	...	159,661	...	297,192	...	413,634
Oils in bulk—Cocoanut ... cwt.	1,307	1,032	6,398	30,866	36,202	112,132	43,566	153,266
Onions ... ... „	3,599	3,452	7,127	6,243	25,817	17,363	19,815	15,696
Ores—								
Copper ... ... „	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gold—Ore, &c. ... ... „	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Molybdenite ... ... „	1,092	23,521	520	11,656	3,055	65,950	2,008	44,562
Silver and Silver-Lead ... „	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tin ... ... „	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wolfram ... ... „	5,107	45,292	2,392	20,907	14,914	129,789	10,855	95,305
Other ... ... „	3,144	11,924	2,588	10,711	7,281	44,328	14,650	41,644
Potatoes ... ... „	11,477	7,363	3,223	3,041	36,704	18,214	13,234	12,421
Rubber Manufactures, n.e.i. —	...	11,382	...	23,421	...	48,433	...	81,441
Sausage Casings ... ... —	...	66,485	...	47,994	...	98,731	...	121,929
Seeds ... ... —	...	11,961	...	27,058	...	20,849	...	48,287
Skins and Hides—								
Cattle ... ... No.	22,494	50,977	125,000	341,203	221,526	286,469	376,963	1,018,807
Horse ... ... „	...	...	2,105	3,918	...	...	4,073	6,802
Rabbit and Hare ... lb.	4,177,916	415,121	1,843,617	640,926	6,973,290	792,205	8,508,878	2,355,750
Sheep, with Wool ... No.	307,379	190,259	408,336	98,365	634,496	265,027	1,262,982	420,037
Sheep, without Wool ... „	167,743	26,649	244,000	38,886	267,384	36,789	1,044,112	109,016
Other ... ... —	...	151,967	2767	56,884	...	225,160	...	1,873,149
Soap—Toilet, Fancy, &c. ... lb.	56,497	6,446	118,840	12,076	234,504	22,514	300,865	30,916
Other ... ... „	1,152,838	28,005	548,017	14,674	3,082,746	67,851	1,873,778	47,013
Specie—Bronze ... ... —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,040
Gold ... ... —	...	*	...	59,048	...	*	...	*
Silver ... ... —	...	46,726	...	15,614	...	51,021	...	59,297
Stationery ... ... —	...	8,106	...	9,699	...	24,968	...	31,287
Sugar—Cane ... ... cwt.	11,827	16,505	15,806	23,848	30,913	38,997	40,232	54,629
Tallow, unrefined ... ... „	125,191	301,124	93,605	411,928	250,351	585,949	257,203	1,071,761
Timber— Dressed ... ... s.ft.	48,121	819	148,073	3,397	135,104	2,456	337,187	9,808
Undressed ... ... „	1,977,628	29,639	3,386,301	64,587	7,183,977	111,247	7,559,830	136,417
Logs, not sawn ... ... „	12,180	169	6,413	98	22,910	337	83,485	1,649
Tin Ingots ... ... cwt.	16,287	212,170	9,765	160,420	48,787	805,715	45,774	597,546
Tobacco—Manufactured ... lb.	206,535	24,522	297,970	42,400	654,022	78,046	1,023,394	143,216
Cigarettes ... ... „	14,806	3,882	12,432	4,409	151,176	45,219	51,959	18,056
Wines—Sparkling... ... gal.	1,212	2,779	746	1,717	4,636	10,418	3,196	6,942
Still, in bottle ... ... „	20,009	14,773	12,891	10,875	56,018	40,779	50,154	37,767
Still, in bulk ... ... „	49,980	11,921	48,612	15,296	124,675	30,948	136,004	40,262
Wood Articles—Casks, Shooks—	...	995	...	956	...	1,663	...	2,166
Other ... ... —	...	6,497	...	6,720	...	19,143	...	20,264
Wool—Greasy ... bale	177,576	3,538,583	162,106	3,681,693	531,080	6,025,991	419,229	9,357,598
lb.	57,469,635		53,848,580		141,854,753		139,400,786	
Scoured and Washed bale	88,638	1,686,520	32,589	743,357	182,144	3,789,798	103,274	2,346,321
lb.	21,091,597		7,502,737		42,732,614		23,932,359	
Wool Tops ... bale	1,437	229,219	1,041	250,404	4,138	691,011	5,547	953,283
lb.	674,057		522,671		1,966,738		2,521,951	
All Other Articles ... ... —	...	1,547,385	...	2,596,777	...	4,150,116	...	5,213,567
Total ... ... £	...	†1,4489,542	...	†13,198,674	...	†35,781,276	...	†39,072,036

* Information not published. † Exclusive of gold.

No. 17.—Trade with Principal Countries.

Country.	1900.	1910.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.	1918-19.
Imports.							
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Australian States ...	10,164,080	12,623,428*	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
Oversea—							
United Kingdom ...	9,923,117	14,385,633	15,367,746	15,608,510	15,722,209	10,514,811	15,223,478
Canada...	114,321	356,593	944,518	981,845	887,378	1,077,359	1,202,228
Fiji	60,831	161,894	247,650	594,632	1,038,521	337,862	157,425
Hong Kong	67,928	95,450	151,710	200,879	198,899	293,784	370,605
India and Ceylon ...	601,741	1,135,359	1,631,131	2,021,610	2,023,349	2,403,834	3,4 .9,079
New Zealand	1,348,605	1,180,011	1,151,271	1,702,753	1,452,899	940,435	1,090,072
Union of South Africa	1,013	20,312	25,550	401,026	89,377	67,887	167,062
Straits Settlements ...	40,391	132,245	231,731	305,992	372,184	522,167	733,153
Other British	118,929	158,494	188,324	225,901	222,945	278,767	881,774
Belgium	147,661	555,298	263,510	1,629	7,955	382	196
China	190,456	38,720	53,918	116,838	57,453	55,059	115,526
France	270,084	166,986	99,841	130,721	64,996	45,074	37,111
Germany	1,105,664	1,288,574	497,372	19,549	20,038	8,850	27
Italy	92,732	129,246	200,666	333,774	179,434	78,866	80,004
Japan	122,041	335,320	660,389	1,274,348	1,451,040	2,566,864	4,107,095
New Caledonia ...	28,509	39,242	37,411	43,569	31,759	92,278	136,515
Philippine Islands ...	49,240	37,492	41,841	73,638	31,507	124,392	50,881
South Sea Islands ...	107,488	164,530	§	§	§	§	§
United States of A. ...	2,557,961	2,150,953	4,320,904	7,374,260	7,367,597	8,003,821	14,299,054
Other Foreign... ...	448,279	706,641	1,207,760	1,968,224	1,519,757	1,035,087	1,441,447
Total, Oversea ...	17,396,991	23,238,993	27,323,243	33,379,698	32,742,297	28,447,579**	43,592,732**
Total, Imports ...	27,561,071	...	...	...	...	...	...
Exports.							
Australian States ...	9,979,190	10,307,115†	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
Oversea—							
United Kingdom ...	8,273,272	13,318,099	16,258,252	15,320,054	23,966,117	17,233,042	23,584,416
Canada	66,403	76,866	362,016	650,264	6,250,388	326,787	479,613
Fiji	183,579	410,926	379,326	289,836	377,846	547,375	397,256
Hong Kong	218,986	414,042	383,601	252,759	114,490	165,798	399,755
India and Ceylon ...	174,296	187,128	355,307	573,335	955,049	2,460,642	3,273,946
New Zealand ...	826,662	1,319,358	1,767,086	2,421,292	1,988,553	2,120,683	2,381,757
Union of South Africa	755,487	289,812	753,499	128,016	154,510	373,357	386,210
Straits Settlements ...	39,898	246,513	211,588	263,623	351,474	415,957	885,525
Other British	49,586	136,742	368,113	497,660	1,907,054	1,860,905	2,550,265
Belgium	620,349	2,970,187	203,527	420	...	...	104,882
China	68,004	64,192	50,546	67,220	64,990	118,256	201,055
France	1,024,300	4,232,137	610,879	1,498,631	1,407,457	234,478	230,771
Germany	844,504	4,934,474	150,619	...	...	...	1,608
Italy	61,132	234,419	570,572	1,934,012	1,276,780	208,412	296,107
Japan	133,989	524,598	1,573,184	2,354,584	2,663,270	2,727,331	2,846,467
New Caledonia ...	179,761	115,458	158,794	179,377	251,495	346,176	440,313
Philippine Islands ...	88,043	226,134	129,591	52,508	124,663	495,120	478,054
South Sea Islands ...	126,834	214,651	§	§	§	§	§
United States of A. ...	3,981,242	865,326	2,721,910	13,132,683	5,976,345	5,739,808	6,715,103
Other Foreign... ...	468,999	1,254,389	1,098,615	1,359,142	2,520,343	1,555,360	3,200,414
Total, Oversea ...	18,185,326	32,035,451	28,107,025	40,975,416	50,290,824	36,929,487**	48,858,517**
Total, Exports ...	28,164,516	...	...	...	...	...	...

*Imports, 1st January to 13th September inclusive. †Exports, 1st January to 13th September inclusive. ‡ Not available.
§ Included in "Other Foreign." ** Exclusive of Gold.

No. 18.—Principal Articles Imported at Sydney during March Quarter, 1920.

(Compiled from returns supplied by Sydney Harbour Trust.)

Article.	Oversea.*		Interstate.			State.	
	Quantity.	Measurement.	Quantity.	Measurement.	Value.	Quantity.	Measurement.
					£		
Agricultural Implements—tons.	566	640	56	143	6,350	...	15
Ale, Beer, and Stout ... ,,	...	327	...	185	4,544	...	107
Animals—Horses ... No.	20	...	8	...	825	167	...
Horned Cattle ,,	135	...	9	...	850	1,086	...
Calves ... ,,	4	...	...	...	...	1,497	...
Pigs ... ... ,,	...	...	9	...	36	5,515	...
Bacon and Hams ... tons	...	...	...	342	30,899	...	508
Bananas ... ... bchs.	17,383	...	...	...	...	...	...
,, ... cases	6,326	...	497	...	253	64,242	...
Boots, Shoes, &c. ... tons	...	143	...	640	126,122	...	4
Butter ... ... ,,	...	...	...	240	33,372	...	7 083
Candles, tapers, night-lights ,,	...	41	...	82	3,859	...	316
Cement ... ... ,,	24	57	...	...	...	80	...
Chaff ... ... ,,	...	...	3,823	...	39,867	27	...
Cheese ... ... ,,	...	2	...	17	1,409	605	640
Coal ... ... ,,	...	...	...	...	...	198,291	...
,, (bunker) ... ... ,,	...	...	...	...	...	112,075	...
Confectionery ... ... ,,	...	52	...	547	36,852	...	6
Cordage, rope, twine, &c. ,,	24	218	28	266	16,155	4	27
Drapery ... ... ,,	...	7,093	...	1,613	345,335	...	179
Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals ,,	241	1,424	165	286	29,903	83	28
Earthenware ... ... ,,	14	1,159	4	57	1,909	18	4
Eggs (in shell) ... ... ,,	...	...	...	59	1,972	..	341
Fish, fresh or frozen ... ,,	4	42	...	70	1,130	609	1,112
Oysters, fresh or other ,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	415
Flour ... ... ,,	10	...	103	...	1,938	...	...
Fruit, fresh ... ... cases	10,056	...	110,788	...	36,025	80,158	...
Furniture ... ... tons	1	251	...	622	12,873	...	10
Glass and Glassware ... ,,	224	2,476	2	307	2,800	2	655
Grain—Maize ... ... ,,	1,178	...	174	...	2,986	2,521	...
Oats ... ... ,,	452	...	4,344	...	72,359	...	...
Wheat ... ... ,,	...	...	32,189	...	433,750	...	...
Hardware ... ... ,,	2,683	2,269	470	615	55,917	56	59
Hay ... ... ,,	2	...	9	...	108	1,654	...
Hides and Skins... ... ,,	17	970	379	3,190	369,426	...	1,476
Iron—Galvanized ... ,,	4,959	...	9	...	390	3	...
Pig ... ... ,,	160	...	7	...	105	19	...
Jams and Jellies ... ,,	...	23	41	2,360	97,370	...	3
Leatherware ... ... ,,	...	117	...	295	88,213	...	32
Machinery and Machines ,,	499	3,848	393	924	84,719	124	127
Matches & Match-making Materials ,,	...	620	...	105	6,961	...	3
Milk and Cream, preserved ,,	2	21	...	1,100	64,955	...	208
Molasses and Syrup ... ,,	1,817	1	341	120	4,894	694	...
Melons, Pumpkins, Squashes No.	...	...	4,414	...	112	104,556	...
Oilmen's Stores ... ... tons	139	1,633	89	592	34,909	25	143
Onions ... ... ,,	20	...	1,326	...	15,268	55	...
Potatoes ... ... ,,	23	...	7,969	...	118,149	894	...
Saddlery ... ... ,,	23	68	...	6	706	...	2
Soap ... ... ,,	2	92	1	321	15,469	684	126
Spirits—Brandy... ... ,,	...	37	...	20	4,695	...	3
Gin ... ... ,,	...	353	...	11	1,763	...	...
Rum ... ... ,,	...	10	...	102	20,110	...	...
Whisky... ... ,,	...	489	...	75	18,677	...	1
Sugar ... ... ,,	3,657	...	32,316	...	682,977	331	...
Tea ... ... ,,	...	10,296	...	284	17,202	...	8
Timber—Sawn ... sup. ft.	24,401,024	...	4,430,613	...	69,681	1,998,015	...
Rough ... ,,							
Tobacco, Cigars, &c. ... tons	19	4,459	...	359	71,406	...	7
Vegetables, fresh ... ,,	...	10	187	86	1,858	43	11
Waters, Cordials, &c. ... ,,	...	122	...	294	6,284	...	2
Wines ... ... ,,	...	79	...	705	34,765	...	32
Woodenware ... ... ,,	...	465	...	269	5,729	...	39
Wool—Bales and Butts... No.	5	...	2,872	...	78,525	6,912	...
Bags ... ... ,,	...	...	...	...	...	335	...
Woollens ... ... tons	...	444	...	248	30,807	...	...
All other Articles ... ,,	63,533	52,087	20,342	15 663	1,541,355	57,502	19,628
Total	...	92,438	...	33,220	4,737,578	...	33,360

* The total Oversea imports, exclusive of gold, at the Port of Sydney during the March Quarter 1920 were valued at £10,286,817.

No. 19.—Shipping entered—Port of Sydney.

(Compiled from Returns supplied by Sydney Harbour Trust.)

Year.	Description of Vessels.	Number of Vessels.			Net Tonnage.		
		Oversea and Interstate.	State.	Total.	Oversea and Interstate.	State.	Total.
1909	Steam ...	2,314	5,713	8,027	5,148,293	1,483,635	6,631,928
	Sailing ...	193	724	917	171,638	97,491	269,129
1910	Steam ...	2,292	5,700	7,992	5,398,910	1,474,145	6,873,055
	Sailing ...	173	679	852	174,789	89,464	264,253
1911	Steam ...	2,408	6,138	8,546	5,903,713	1,626,209	7,529,922
	Sailing ...	168	502	670	159,031	80,087	239,118
1912	Steam ...	2,747	6,417	9,164	6,580,862	1,738,343	8,319,205
	Sailing ...	110	401	511	120,072	54,782	174,854
1913	Steam ...	2,696	6,718	9,414	7,063,444	1,790,740	8,854,184
	Sailing ...	107	401	508	109,725	54,876	164,601
Jan.-June, 1914	Steam ...	1,371	3,278	4,649	3,722,136	881,795	4,603,931
	Sailing ...	65	167	232	80,675	25,971	106,646
1914-15	Steam ...	2,452	6,640	9,092	6,290,718	1,761,927	8,052,645
	Sailing ...	70	304	374	67,980	43,708	111,688
1915-16	Steam ...	2,321	6,571	8,892	5,589,677	1,762,430	7,352,107
	Sailing ...	152	241	393	136,511	46,659	183,170
1916-17	Steam ...	2,026	6,100	8,126	5,000,450	1,576,907	6,577,357
	Sailing ...	127	200	327	107,841	40,630	148,471
1917-18	Steam ...	1,738	5,468	7,206	3,809,666	1,341,710	5,151,376
	Sailing ...	126	206	332	130,568	38,456	169,024
1918-19	Steam ...	1,791	5,412	7,203	3,712,216	1,271,916	4,984,132
	Sailing ...	131	165	296	134,699	33,935	168,534
July-Mar., 1919-1920	Steam ...	1,141	4,153	5,294	3,091,884	993,571	4,085,455
	Sailing ...	84	133	217	49,327	29,080	78,407
,, 1918-1919	Steam ...	1,418	4,476	5,894	2,750,244	1,050,101	3,800,345
	Sailing ...	106	135	241	108,975	27,709	136,684
Mar. Quarter, 1920	Steam ...	325	1,426	1,751	927,045	358,352	1,285,397
	Sailing ...	36	39	75	21,833	11,223	33,056
,, 1919	Steam ...	473	1,521	1,994	1,071,406	363,687	1,435,093
	Sailing ...	33	36	69	33,566	6,493	40,059

NOTE.—"Oversea and Interstate" shipping includes the trips and tonnages of vessels which proceed to Newcastle for bunker coal, and return to Sydney, but which do not then report at the Customs.

No. 20.—Shipping—all Ports of New South Wales.

(Compiled from Returns supplied by Customs Department.)

Year.	Entered.		Cleared.		Tonnage Entered.		Tonnage Cleared.	
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Steam.	Sailing.	Steam.	Sailing.
1909	2,861	5,870,034	2,767	5,689,426	5,388,231	481,803	5,254,376	435,050
1910	2,937	6,290,119	3,035	6,471,855	5,892,049	398,070	6,047,832	424,023
1911	3,127	6,822,135	3,146	6,833,782	6,427,442	394,693	6,424,865	408,917
1912	3,354	7,490,046	3,346	7,453,005	7,010,420	479,626	6,975,678	477,327
1913	3,393	8,117,501	3,375	8,071,101	7,800,389	317,112	7,744,422	326,679
Jan.-June, 1914	1,799	4,393,002	1,765	4,318,636	4,147,905	245,097	4,119,514	199,122
1914-15	3,000	7,051,503	3,059	7,219,914	6,892,390	159,113	7,004,886	215,028
1915-16	3,045	6,552,235	3,062	6,574,582	6,346,795	205,440	6,360,428	214,154
1916-17	2,602	5,803,451	2,613	5,802,683	5,667,671	135,780	5,670,665	132,018
1917-18	2,226	4,407,399	2,235	4,417,390	4,263,906	143,493	4,268,226	149,164
1918-19	2,335	4,452,004	2,275	4,301,617	4,267,608	184,396	4,114,717	186,900
July-Mar., 1919-20	1,597	3,851,933	1,591	3,776,134	3,773,469	78,464	3,708,779	67,355
,, 1918-19	1,799	3,263,114	1,842	3,215,205	3,158,863	104,251	3,160,584	54,621
Mar. Quarter, 1920	492	1,203,041	513	1,241,428	1,165,715	37,326	1,216,481	24,947
,, 1919	553	1,147,005	556	1,139,492	1,113,040	33,965	1,124,831	14,661

NOTE.—The shipping recorded in the above table is "Oversea" and "Interstate" only.

No. 21.—State Revenue (March quarter), and nine months (July to March).

(Advances recovered are not included.)

Source of Revenue.	March quarter. 1919.	March quarter. 1920.	Increase or Decrease (-)	July to March. 1918-19.	July to March. 1919-20.	Increase or Decrease (-)
Governmental—	£	£	£	£	£	£
Commonwealth Returns	578,901	595,032	16,131	1,736,703	1,785,096	48,393
Taxation (by State)	508,328	931,972	423,644	1,527,438	2,235,933	708,495
Public Lands	549,825	582,126	32,301	1,403,562	1,468,545	64,983
All other sources	252,406	269,742	17,336	731,595	787,368	55,773
Gross Total	1,889,460	2,378,872	489,412	5,399,298	6,276,942	877,644
Refunds	36,748	28,620	(-) 8,128	124,123	94,769	(-) 29,354
Net Total	1,852,712	2,350,252	497,540	5,275,175	6,182,173	906,998
Business Undertakings by State—						
Railways and Tramways	3,070,526	4,421,023	1,350,497	9,320,936	11,982,999	2,662,063
Other	453,762	525,607	71,845	1,356,570	1,492,863	136,293
Gross Total	3,524,288	4,946,630	1,422,342	10,677,506	13,475,862	2,798,356
Refunds	29,709	67,432	37,723	100,593	184,186	83,593
Net Total	3,494,579	4,879,198	1,384,619	10,576,913	13,291,676	2,714,763
Total Revenue ... ... £	**5,347,291**	**7,229,450**	**1,882,159**	**15,852,088**	**19,473,849**	**3,621,761**

No. 22.—State Expenditure (March quarter), and nine months (July to March).

(Transfers and advances are not included.)

Distribution of Expenditure.	March quarter. 1919.	March quarter. 1920.	Increase or Decrease (-)	July to March. 1918-19.	July to March. 1919-20.	Increase or Decrease (-)
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Governmental	1,658,770	2,062,859	404,089	5,351,895	6,359,855	1,007,960
Business Undertakings	2,237,166	3,454,540	1,217,374	6,833,363	9,626,385	2,793,022
Interest	1,462,205	1,599,986	137,781	4,071,534	4,618,659	547,125
Total Expenditure ... £	**5,358,141**	**7,117,385**	**1,759,244**	**16,256,792**	**20,604,899**	**4,348,107**

No. 23.—Transactions on Consolidated Revenue Account, nine months (July to March).

Particulars.	1918-19.	1919-20.
	£	£
Balance on 1st July	*Dr.* 459,313	*Dr.* 244,545
Revenue proper—Governmental	5,275,175	6,182,173
Business Undertakings	10,576,913	13,291,676
Other Receipts	25,340	124,237
Total Receipts ... ... £	15,877,428	19,598,086
Expenditure proper—Governmental	5,351,895	6,359,855
Business Undertakings	6,833,363	9,626,385
Interest	4,071,534	4,618,659
Bogan Scrub Clearing	...	...
Two-thirds Net-proceeds Sale—Crown Lands	...	...
Meat Supply for Imperial Uses Act	194,180	50,000
Transfer to Special Deposit Account, Forestry Revenue	35,072	47,322
Transfer in aid of Public Works Fund	200,000	200,000
Other Payments	142,360	1,240,936
Total Payments ... ... £	16,828,404	22,143,157
Balance at 31st March	*Dr.* £1,410,289	*Dr.* £2,789,613

No. 24.—State Revenue—Comparison—Monthly.

Month.	1918-19.			1919-20.			Increase (+) Decrease (—)
	Governmental.	Business Undertakings.	Total.	Governmental.	Business Undertakings.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
July	598,273	1,029,352	1,627,625	587,422	1,039,472	1,626,894	(—) 731
August	581,505	1,106,144	1,687,649	635,464	1,269,737	1,905,201	(+) 217,552
September	544,389	1,166,663	1,711,052	628,923	1,447,357	2,076,280	(+) 365,228
October	577,635	1,339,194	1,916,829	650,386	1,738,800	2,389,186	(+) 472,357
November	524,534	1,194,907	1,719,441	665,014	1,374,959	2,039,973	(+) 320,532
December	596,127	1,246,074	1,842,201	664,712	1,542,153	2,206,865	(+) 364,664
January	634,741	1,168,406	1,803,147	1,028,531	1,653,713	2,682,244	(+) 879,097
February	580,589	1,080,432	1,661,021	605,594	1,491,103	2,096,697	(+) 435,676
March	637,382	1,245,741	1,883,123	716,127	1,734,382	2,450,509	(+) 567,386
Total (nine months)	5,275,175	10,576,913	15,852,088	6,182,173	13,291,676	19,473,849	(+) 3,621,761

No. 25.—State Expenditure—Comparison—Monthly.

Month.	1918-19.			1919-20.			Increase (+) Decrease (—)
	Governmental (including Interest and Sinking Fund).	Business Undertakings.	Total.	Governmental (including Interest and Sinking Fund).	Business Undertakings.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
July	924,930	807,420	1,732,350	1,000,992	1,012,650	2,013,642	(+)281,292
August	973,229	747,198	1,720,427	1,356,844	959,746	2,316,590	(+)596,163
September	972,588	691,171	1,663,759	1,041,997	941,418	1,983,415	(+)319,656
October	1,867,466	780,198	2,647,664	2,086,881	1,124,986	3,211,867	(+)564 203
November	837,682	765,631	1,603,31	953,805	919 451	1,873,256	(+)269,943
December	723,557	803,579	1,527,136	875,150	1,213,594	2,088,744	(+)561,608
January	979,373	694,196	1,673,569	1,053,067	1,085,379	2,138,446	(+)464,877
February	1,195,574	752,195	1 947,769	1,451,486	1,136,297	2,587,783	(+)640,014
March	949,030	791,776	1,740,806	1,158,292	1 232,864	2,391,156	(+)654 353
Total (nine months)	9,423,429	6,833,364	16,256,793	10,978,514	9,626,385	20,604,899	(+)4,348, 06

No. 26.—Public Debt and Expenditure from Loans, 1909-19.

Year ended 30th June.	Public Debt at end of Year.		Net Expenditure from Loans during Year.				
			Reproductive Works.			Other Works and Services.	Total.
	Total.	Per Head of Population.	Railways and Tramways.	Water Supply and Sewerage (including Water Conservation).	Harbours and Rivers (including Docks, Resumptions, &c.).		
	£	£ s. d.	£	£	£	£	£
1909	90,307,419	57 6 7	2,127,633	617,589	114,095	47,190	2,906,507
1910	92,525,095	57 6 6	2,471,284	578,111	158,732	38,513	3,246,640
1911	95,523,926	57 9 9	2,547,672	730,819	234,213	409,054	3,921,758
1912	100,052,635	57 10 9	3,448,127	1,344,211	413,998	284,767	5,491,103
1913	106,170,747	58 13 9	4,618,967	1,595,093	676,180	813,354	7,703,591
1914	116,695,031	62 16 9	5,714,964	1,942,497	862,927	606,455	9,126,843
1915	127,735,405	68 7 8	4,690,908	1,368,260	685,231	251,708	6,996,107
1916	130,514 018	69 19 8	4,983,632	1,535,364	1,005,291	648,817	8,173 104
1917	138,138,347	73 19 5	3,842,809	1,435,674	962,881	620,815	6,862,179
1918	*152,584,693	79 18 11	2,112,108	1,287,012	455,861	332,530	4 487,511
1919	147,174,556	75 1 4	1,543,857	1,027,708	297,304	1,050,018	3,918,887

NOTE.—Redemptions of Loans are not included in the Expenditure.

* Includes Stock raised in February, 1918, viz., £10,076,000, being portion of loans maturing in September, 1918.

No. 27.—Revenue of New South Wales, 1912–19.

Head of Revenue.	1911–12.	1912–13.	1913–14.	1914–15.	1915–16.	1916–17.	1917–18.	1918–19.
Governmental :—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Taxation—								
Commonwealth—Balance of Revenue collected and returned to State	2,046,993	2,178,683	2,248,241	2,287,295	2,297,872	2,286,913	2,317,783	2,380,139
State	1,885,653	1,405,360	2,330,005	2,955,670	3,117,221	3,629,404	3,860,501	4,083,990
	3,932,646	3,584,043	4,578,246	5,242,965	5,415,093	5,916,317	6,178,284	6,464,129
£								
Land—	962,198	999,363	982,885	906,785	1,057,711	972,657	1,068,676	1,049,674
Alienations	803,261	836,585	846,002	791,296	807,602	758,615	759,297	778,733
Revenue								
£	1,765,459	1,835,948	1,828,887	1,698,081	1,865,313	1,731,272	1,827,973	1,828,407
Receipts for Services rendered £	381,981	412,727	453,016	408,390	414,671	417,345	406,490	446,837
Miscellaneous Receipts	553,226	495,426	482,649	561,093	502,328	550,008	519,016	632,039
Industrial Undertakings of the State	20,281	32,885	6,300	10,358	9,060	12,710	12,348	11,581
Total Governmental £	6,653,593	6,361,029	7,349,098	7,920,887	8,206,465	8,627,652	8,944,111	9,382,993
Business Undertakings by the State :—								
Railways and Tramways	8,067,597	8,544,376	9,684,877	9,660,822	9,990,502	10,390,602	10,821,648	12,183,026
Sydney Harbour Trust	412,410	452,244	470,773	464,681	489,722	511,981	576,459	618,901
Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage	584,654	633,600	713,056	796,338	844,664	866,313	953,306	1,116,415
Hunter District Water Supply and Sewerage Board	58,788	66,145	80,945	85,823	98,089	99,448	104,822	117,925
Total Business Undertakings £	9,123,449	9,696,365	10,949,651	11,007,664	11,422,977	11,868,344	12,456,235	14,036,267
Total	15,777,042	16,057,394	18,298,749	18,928,551	19,629,442	20,495,996	21,400,346	23,419,260
Other Receipts (Advances Repaid, &c.)	20,094	493,127	139,479	17,676	74,076	26,101	143,396	28,906
Grand Total £	15,797,136	16,550,521	18,438,228	18,946,227	19,703,518	20,522,097	21,543,742	23,448,166

No. 28.—Expenditure of New South Wales, 1912-19.

Head of Expenditure.	1911-12.	1912-13.	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.	1918-19.
Governmental:—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Interest on Public Debt and on Funds in temporary possession of Government (exclusive of Business Undertakings)	897,215	950,895	1,022,732	971,435	1,057,769	1,004,193	1,089,729	975,352
Reduction of Public Debt	130,991	115,633	5,631	5,688	6,504	6,867	6,819	6,832
Transfer to Public Works Fund—Two-thirds of Proceeds of Land Sales, Act No. 9 of 1906	348,664	359,698	336,541	299,408	354,818	328,043	369,781	369,769
Local Government and Main Roads—Endowments and Grants	341,264	281,304	258,352	281,243	344,022	308,336	325,145	332,664
Hospitals and Charities (including Lunacy)	567,185	643,969	733,387	769,311	880,243	929,218	949,154	1,003,246
Police and Prisons	574,781	641,858	655,189	653,282	652,119	694,514	736,192	734,830
Departments—								
Premier	109,632	115,303	85,925	185,883	175,978	132,923	92,893	92,576
Chief Secretary and Public Health (excluding Police, Hospitals, &c.)	101,533	107,827	122,666	132,955	126,539	135,172	143,235	152,327
Treasurer (excluding Interest, Charitable Allowances, &c.)	586,994	603,520	624,716	593,936	594,751	735,911	825,903	807,519
Attorney-General and Justice (excluding Prisons)	291,971	301,788	325,776	333,965	334,058	331,390	329,387	346,459
Lands	382,396	391,752	384,478	451,025	410,017	384,854	384,959	396,348
Public Works (excluding Local Government Endowments, &c.)	507,650	540,515	418,225	441,523	444,698	459,035	429,393	427,500
Public Instruction (including Grants to Educational and Scientific Institutions)	1,405,358	1,490,205	1,607,324	1,635,453	1,698,515	1,853,049	1,955,267	2,125,659
Labour and Industry	19,098	39,510	54,049	43,759	50,111	55,156	46,076	63,022
Mines	64,347	63,157	67,834	71,010	74,803	62,425	61,744	62,745
Agriculture	187,062	216,366	295,943	236,163	245,298	249,244	295,791	254,809
Local Government and Main Roads (Administration)	.....	.....	.....	.....	21,777	29,612	29,092	27,490
All other Services	383,362	470,927	450,190	420,223	445,516	452,204	494,009	533,678
Total, Governmental £	6,899,503	7,334,227	7,448,958	7,526,262	7,917,536	8,152,146	8,564,569	8,712,825
Business Undertakings, including Interest on Capital:—								
Railways and Tramways	7,733,147	8,754,490	9,505,926	9,540,159	10,107,149	10,794,694	10,969,924	12,370,545
Water Supply and Sewerage	652,819	688,843	725,931	785,300	841,278	984,803	1,065,413	1,132,769
Sydney Harbour Trust	343,865	389,237	366,698	383,435	420,669	464,564	499,156	510,785
Total, Business Undertakings £	8,729,831	9,832,570	10,598,555	10,708,894	11,369,096	12,244,061	12,534,493	14,014,099
Transfers in aid of Public Works Fund	290,065	565,065	.....	200,000	235,000	235,000	250,000	200,000
Other Payments (Advances made, &c.)	217,880	47,038	17,676	81,023	32,295	159,688	170,856	306,474
Grand Total £	16,137,279	17,778,900	18,065,189	18,516,179	19,553,927	20,790,895	21,519,918	23,233,398

No. 29.—Transactions on Consolidated Revenue Fund, 1914–19.

	1913–14.	1914–15.	1915–16.	1916–17.	1917–18.	1918 19.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Balance brought forward ...	*Dr.* 1,167,017	*Dr.* 793,978	*Dr.* 363,930	*Dr.* 214,239	*Dr.* 483,137	*Dr.* 459,313
Net Revenue Proper ..	18,298,749	18,928,551	19,629,442	20,495,996	21,400,346	23,419,260
Advances Repaid	139,479	17,676	74,076	26,101	143,396	28,906
(A) Total Receipts for year	18,438,228	18,946,227	19,703,518	20,522,097	21,543,742	23,448,166
Net Expenditure Proper ...	17,705,341	17,930,060	18,925,310	20,061,297	20,722,462	22,350,323
Payments to Sinking Fund.	5,631	5,688	6,504	6,867	6,819	6,832
Advances—Treasurer's Account and Loan Votes ...	17,676	81,023	32,295	159,688	170,856	306,474
Public Works Fund—Statutory payment of ¾ of Proceeds of Sale of Crown lands, less 20 per cent. ..	336,541	299,408	354,818	328,043	369,781	369,769
Payments in aid— Public Works Fund ...	...	200,000	235,000	235,000	250,000	200,000
(B) Total Disbursements during year	18,065,189	18,516,179	19,553,927	20,790,895	21,519,918	23,233,398
Surplus on Transactions of year—(A)-(B)	373,039	430,048	149,591	(—)268,798	23,824	214,768

(—) Denotes deficiency.

No. 30.—Revenue per head collected by the State, 1909–19.

Year ended 30th June.	Governmental.						Business Undertakings.						Total Revenue
	Taxation.	Returned by Commonwealth	Land Revenue.	Other Revenue.	Total.		Railways and Tramways.	Water and Sewerage.	Sydney Harbour Trust.	Total.			
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.			£ s. d.
1909	0 11 7	2 3 0	1 2 10	8 3	4 5 8		3 18 8	6 10	4 3	4 9 9			8 15 5
1910	0 15 4	2 1 11	1 1 8	8 11	4 7 10		4 3 6	7 1	4 3	4 14 10			9 2 8
1911	0 12 6	1 3 9	1 2 5	8 6	3 7 2		4 10 6	7 2	4 7	5 2 3			8 9 5
1912	1 2 2	1 4 1	1 0 10	11 6	3 18 7		4 15 0	7 7	4 10	5 7 5			9 6 0
1913	0 15 10	1 4 6	1 0 7	16 2	3 17 1		4 16 1	7 10	5 1	5 9 0			9 6 1
1914	1 5 5	1 4 6	0 19 11	11 10	4 1 8		5 5 8	8 8	5 2	5 19 6			10 1 2
1915	1 11 9	1 4 6	0 18 3	10 8	4 5 2		5 3 8	9 6	5 0	5 18 2			10 3 4
1916	1 13 4	1 4 7	0 19 11	10 9	4 8 7		5 6 11	10 1	5 3	6 2 3			10 10 10
1917	1 18 11	1 4 7	0 18 7	10 9	4 12 10		5 11 6	10 5	5 6	6 7 5			11 0 3
1918	2 0 11	1 4 7	0 19 5	11 5	4 16 4		5 14 7	11 2	6 1	6 11 10			11 8 2
1919	2 2 3	1 4 8	0 18 11	11 8	4 17 6		6 6 2	12 9	6 5	7 5 4			12 2 10

No. 31.—Expenditure per head by the State, 1909–19.

Year ended 30th June.	Governmental.				Business Undertakings.				Total Expenditure.
	Public Instruction.	Interest and Sinking Funds.	Other Services.	Total.	Railways and Tramways.*	Water and Sewerage.*	Sydney Harbour Trust.*	Total.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1909	0 13 11	0 15 10	3 15 7	5 5 4	3 13 1	6 9	3 7	4 3 5	9 8 9
1910	0 14 4	0 15 5	3 1 4	4 11 1	3 16 10	6 8	3 7	4 7 1	8 18 2
1911	0 14 9	0 14 10	2 13 8	4 3 3	4 2 6	7 1	3 9	4 13 4	8 16 7
1912	0 16 7	0 12 2	2 18 6	4 7 3	4 11 1	7 8	4 0	5 2 9	9 10 0
1913	0 16 9	0 12 0	3 0 6	4 9 3	4 18 5	7 9	4 5	5 10 7	9 19 10
1914	0 17 6	0 11 3	2 12 9	4 1 6	5 3 9	7 11	4 0	5 15 8	9 17 2
1915	0 17 6	0 10 6	2 15 9	4 3 9	5 2 5	8 5	4 1	5 14 11	9 18 8
1916	0 18 2	0 11 5	2 18 0	4 7 7	5 8 2	9 1	4 5	6 1 8	10 9 3
1917	0 19 10	0 10 10	3 0 11	4 11 7	5 15 11	10 6	5 0	6 11 5	11 3 0
1918	1 0 8	0 11 8	3 2 9	4 15 1	5 15 11	11 3	5 4	6 12 6	11 7 7
1919	1 2 0	0 10 2	3 3 4	4 15 6	6 8 1	11 9	5 3	7 5 1	12 0 7

* Includes payment of interest on capital expenditure.

NOTE.—See Tables Nos. 27 and 28 for actual amounts received and expended.

No. 32.—Trading Banks—Liabilities.

NOTE.—Liabilities to Shareholders are not included.

Quarter ended 30th June.	Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Deposits.			Balances due to other Banks.	Total Liabilities.
			Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Total.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1909	1,659,826	298,868	18,846,211	25,834,135	44,680,346	129,093	46,768,133
1910	1,801,807	370,885	23,512,712	26,642,873	50,155,585	100,348	52,428,625
1911	1,819,180	402,760	25,985,355	29,341,683	55,327,038	206,181	57,755,159
1912	226,151	418,504	27,937,492	30,292,076	58,229,568	177,130	59,051,353
1913	142,686	431,429	26,504,388	†30,777,791	†57,282,179	861,270	58,717,564
1914	111,939	510,811	29,944,028	†32,983,409	†62,927,437	1,177,365	64,727,552
1915	95,505	419,227	33,186,317	†35,031,367	†68,217,684	1,236,574	69,968,990
1916	87,316	529,211	43,610,878	†36,435,167	†80,046,045	2,120,888	82,783,460
1917	80,765	584,564	46,599,978	†37,449,286	†84,049,264	1,534,805	86,249,398
1918	73,615	694,466	46,125,775	†40,363,818	†86,489,593	1,722,958	88,980,632
1919	69,509	738,596	45,215,578	†48,649,516	†93,865,094	3,076,243	97,749,442
Sept., 1919	67,191	713,745	42,535,728	†47,835,632	†90,371,360	3,135,576	94,287,872
Dec., 1919	63,178	768,999	43,997,642	†47,273,081	†91,270,723	2,761,247	94,864,147
Mar., 1920	**63,922**	**839,150**	**50,239,240**	**†49,064,755**	**†99 303 995**	**2,053,312**	**102,260,379**
„ 1919	70,030	644,905	43,108,242	†48,043,336	†91,451,578	3,522,451	95,688,964

† Includes Commonwealth Savings Bank deposits which have already been included under the returns of Savings Banks—Table No. 35. On 31st March, 1920, the amount so included was £5,291,657.

No. 33.—Trading Banks—Assets.

Quarter ended 30th June.	Coin.	Bullion.	Australian Notes.	Landed Property.	Notes and Bills discounted, and all other debts due to the Banks.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Total Assets.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1909	10,096,626	222,304	.....	1,791,040	37,109,453	344,069	419,509	49,983,001
1910	12,785,389	195,204	.....	1,824,349	37,482,907	407,089	607,367	53,302,305
1911	14,327,999	196,961	1,770,751	1,871,811	42,456,515	664,320	618,467	61,906,824
1912	12,116,947	196,110	1,992,519	1,930,319	47,449,649	293,103	488,699	64,467,346
1913	11,839,977	143,723	1,854,248	1,967,555	45,147,699	365,625	1,110,028	62,428 855
1914	15,364,463	120,338	1,845,189	1,953,111	47,765,084	498,760	1,571,433	69,118,378
1915	14,711,181	117,900	7,273,320	2,108,633	51,379,741	484,435	1,322,677	77,397,887
1916	11,570,443	134,935	13,073,103	2,255,032	59,101,909	504,809	2,284,894	88,925,125
1917	11,022,375	541,657	11,766,417	2,348,946	63,031,127	534,028	1,839,955	91,084,505
1918	11,058,838	397,547	11,042,479	2,389,946	73,015,430	597,882	2,172,052	100,674,174
1919	10,690,571	369,120	12,143,196	2,378,000	88,808,710	637,069	4,019,595	119,046,261
Sept., 1919	9,971,380	382,532	12,384,699	2,370,776	87,662,489	742,073	3,875,631	117,389,580
Dec., 1919	10,154,596	394,952	11,026,326	2,416,325	84,669,377	719,632	3,717,612	113,098,820
Mar., 1920	**10,298,526**	**351,604**	**12,680,700**	**2 414 234**	**85,565,531**	**770,923**	**2,898,412**	**114,979 930**
„ 1919	10,647,421	308,743	12,128,394	2,380,050	87,222,212	602,261	4,310,686	117,599,767

No. 34.—Trading Banks' Exchange Settlements, Sydney.

Year.	Amount.	Year.	Amount.
	£		£
1909	240,645,737	1914	353,068,040
1910	274,343,666	1915	357,803,424
1911	304,488,435	1916	422,371,972
1912	330,621,122	1917	444,532,930
1913	348,741,175	1918	552,216,829
		1919	590,097,732

Total 1st January to 29th March, 1920	£173,217,227
„ „ „ 31st March, 1919	£132,045,369

No. 35.—Savings Banks.

Year ended 30th June.	Depositors on 30th June.	Deposits on 30th June.	Increase in Deposits during Year.	Amount Deposited on 30th June.	
				Per Depositor.	Per Inhabitant.
	No.	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1909	444,930	19,022,151	1,172,767	42 15 1	12 1 6
1910	478,006	20,823,764	1,801,613	43 11 3	12 18 0
1911	522,251	23,381,014	2,557,250	44 15 4	14 1 5
1912	577,232	26,539,640	3,158,626	45 19 6	15 5 3
†1913	647,124	29,568,282	3,028,642	45 13 10	16 6 10
†1914	717,737	33,167,523	3,599,241	46 4 3	17 17 2
†1915	755,835	35,562,649	2,395,126	47 1 0	19 0 9
†1916	806,882	37,363,272	1,800,623	46 6 1	20 0 8
†1917	872,351	40,836,747	3,473,475	46 16 3	21 17 4
†1918	920,337	42,039,012	2,202,265	46 15 3	22 12 2
†1919	**984,951**	**47,070,342**	**4,031,330**	**47 15 9**	**24 0 2**
†30th Sept. 1919	‡ 1,006,121	‡ 47,263,624	‡ 193,282	‡46 19 6	‡23 16 4
† 31st Dec., 1919	‡ 1,015,977	‡ 47,392,003	‡ 128,379	‡46 12 11	‡23 13 11
† 31st Dec., 1918	‡ 946,460	‡ 43,094,491	(-)‡ 389,080	‡45 10 8	‡22 7 0

† Includes returns from Savings Bank Branch of Commonwealth Bank of Australia.
‡ Information at end of Quarter.

No. 36.—Friendly Societies proper.

Year.	Members.	Receipts.	Expenditure.				Funds at end of Year.
			Sick Pay and Funeral Benefits.	Medical Attendance and Medicine.	Expenses of Management and Other Expenditure.	Total.	
	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£
1908	123,440	435,421	131,808	116,888	97,747	346,443	1,258,412
1909	133,273	455,621	132,983	122,327	124,318	379,628	1,335,830
1910	149,579	464,093	154,840	128,627	100,856	384,323	1,420,145
1911	164,910	515,331	186,935	143,040	105,143	435,118	1,506,838
1912	179,932	558,189	207,098	157,821	109,139	474,058	1,597,755
1913	188,590	602 101	219,403	170,594	111,140	501,137	1,698,719
1914	182,325	612,583	217,242	182,308	126,821	526,371	1,784,931
1915	178,705	614,116	227,329	182,705	112,186	522 220	1,876,827
1916	178,877	631,781	234,063	178,926	125,348	538,337	1,970,271
1917	177,602	678,726	238,357	178,789	137,179	554,325	2,094,672
1918	180,896	776,105	268,398	180,370	213,827	662 595	2,208,182

No. 37.—Trade Unions.

Year.	Unions.	Members.			Receipts.	Expenditure.	Funds.
		Males.	Females.	Total.			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
1908	153	113,918		113,918	105,003	102,402	90,278
1909	166	127,402		127,402	148,202	147,152	94,900
1910	174	128,120	2,226	130,346	129,754	123,794	98,758
1911	191	148,532	4,972	153,504	163,448	146,959	114,687
1912	209	194,516	6,628	201,144	199,157	173 474	151,543
1913	214	210,618	7,387	218,005	200,478	183,304	103,520
1914	219	232,559	8,239	240 798	297,314	271,570	186,568
1915	219	219,886	10,757	230,603	267,060	257,297	205,920
1916	213	221,218	13,090	234,308	248,072	236,909	205,398
1917	233	219,463	15,929	235,392	259,416	296,114	152,377
1918	225	200,335	15,851	216,186	249,713	243,810	158,585

No. 38.—Permanent Building Societies—Liabilities and Assets.

Year.	Societies.	Liabilities.			Assets.		
		Share Capital, Reserves and Balance of Profit and Loss.	Deposits and Other Liabilities.	Total.	Advances on Mortgage.	Other.	Total.
	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£
1908	16	355,278	414,528	769,806	666,200	103,606	769,806
1909	14	352,979	444,830	797,809	675,340	122,469	797,809
1910	14	364,751	457,591	822,342	700,260	122,082	822,342
1911	13	372,210	499,210	871,420	760,622	110,798	871,420
1912	13	391,369	523,425	914,794	690 732	224,062	914,794
1913	9	411,995	498,683	910,678	694,429	216,249	910,678
1914	8	431,594	528,176	959,770	741,831	217,939	959,770
1915	8	440,334	528 408	968,742	731,227	237,515	968,742
1916	8	461,436	522,413	983,849	730,809	244,040	983,849
1917	8	466,057	528,930	994,987	733,582	261,405	994,987
1918	8	483,940	539,027	1 022,967	774,077	248,890	1,022,967

No. 39.—Starr-Bowkett Building Societies—Liabilities and Assets.

Year.	Societies.	Liabilities.			Assets.		
		Members' Subscriptions and balance of Profit and Loss.	Other.	Total.	Advances on Mortgage.	Other.	Total.
	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£
1908	54	252,002	28,673	280,675	240,658	40,017	280,675
1909	61	328,436	41,516	369,952	326,644	43,308	369,952
1910	71	415,006	49,227	464,233	406,451	57,782	464,233
1911	87	532,381	41,862	574,243	503,287	70 956	574,243
1912	94	632,426	35,971	668,397	608,414	59,983	668,397
1913	103	807,751	15,529	823,280	735,018	88,262	823,280
1914	108	931,268	28,617	959,885	879 319	80,566	959,885
1915	109	1,090,501	36,892	1,127,393	1,036,019	91,374	1,127,393
1916	109	1,191,121	37,210	1,228,331	1,127,296	101,035	1,228,331
1917	106	1,352,585	42,127	1,394,712	1,290,341	104,371	1,394,712
1918	114	1,480,242	38,828	1,519,070	1,401,392	117,678	1,519,070

No. 40.—Co-operative Societies—Liabilities and Assets.

Year.	Societies.	Liabilities.			Assets.		
		Share Capital, Balance of Profit and Reserves.	Other.	Total.	Stock, Freehold, Plant, &c.	Other Assets.	Total.
	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£
1908	39	165,700	48,479	214,179	153,284	60,895	214,179
1909	40	179,247	73,140	252,387	189,119	63,268	252,387
1910	44	218,204	66,580	284,784	213,039	71,745	284,784
1911	42	240,178	86,672	326,850	246,262	80,588	326,850
1912	42	260,425	130,729	391,154	305,669	85,485	391,154
1913	40	330,968	104 797	444,765	330,865	113,900	444 765
1914	45	388,160	101,972	490,132	352,388	137,744	490,132
1915	46	404,677	119,675	524,352	393,665	130,687	524,352
1916	46	430,877	168,254	599,131	470,264	128,867	599,131
1917	44	482,318	166,256	648, 74	516,706	131,868	648,574
1918	44	543,255	184,100	727,355	563,669	163,686	727,355

No. 41.—State Railways.

Year ended 30th June.	Miles open for traffic.	Capital expended on lines open.	Net Earnings.	Train miles run.	Net Earnings per train mile.	Passengers.
	No.	£	£	No.	s. d.	No.
1909	3,623	47,612,666	2,075,626	15,074,144	2 9	52,051,556
1910	3,643	48,925,348	2,209,306	15,468,026	2 10¼	53,644,271
1911	3,761	50,971,894	2,351,144	17,006,697	2 9¼	60,919,628
1912	3,832	53,514,903	2,321,882	18,521,320	2 6	70,706,728
1913	3,930	57,653,778	2,104,104	19,184,247	2 2½	79,490,012
1914	3,967	61,264,869	2,332,421	20,549,695	2 3¼	86,328,421
1915	4,134	65,583,274	2,305,349	20,420,023	2 3	88,774,451
1916	4,188	68,825,592	2,344,910	21,556,034	2 2¼	92,850,838
1917	4,437	72,006,621	2,464,725	20,300,717	2 5¼	96,709,846
1918	4,679	75,050,450	3,014,433	18,143,267	3 4	94,304,516
1919	**4,824**	**76,601,591**	**3,053,723**	**19,935,202**	**3 0¾**	**98,568,768**
*Sept., 1919	4,928	76,601,591	1,059,347	5,579,652	3 9¾	26,490,064
*Dec., 1919	4,928	76,601,591	859,612	5,816,620	2 11½	28,751,187
***March, 1920**	**4,952**	**76,601,591**	**1,079,448**	**5,715,285**	**3 9½**	**29,192,942**
„ 1919	4,825	76,601,591	945,348	4,956,661	3 9¾	23,197,676

* Information at end of quarter.

No. 42.—State Tramways.

Year ended 30th June.	Miles open for traffic.	Capital expended on lines open.	Net Earnings.	Tram miles run.	Net earnings per tram mile.	Passengers.
	No.	£	£	No.	s. d.	No.
1909	151	4,252,731	222,005	18,853,621	0 2¾	186,318,738
1910	166	4,668,797	201,981	20,579,386	0 2¼	201,151,021
1911	190	5,121,586	221,682	22,541,429	0 2¼	230,275,938
1912	195	5,664,324	249,980	24,362,219	0 2½	266,789,546
1913	208	6,699,305	182,376	26,954,767	0 1½	294,455,452
1914	212	7,628,653	265,131	28,415,476	0 2¼	310,592,698
1915	220	7,970,293	374,774	26,842,974	0 3¼	289,282,845
1916	221	8,166,423	388,978	26,451,442	0 3½	292,021,774
1917	224	8,309,629	317,172	25,361,992	0 3	295,303,714
1918	225	8,470,091	389,381	21,761,244	0 4¼	255,740,808
1919	**225**	**8,568,138**	**386,977**	**24,674,306**	**0 3¾**	**268,797,814**
*Sept., 1919	226	8,568,138	136,414	6,295,105	0 5¼	73,200,006
*Dec., 1919	226	8,568,138	86,330	6,730,161	0 3	82,623,088
***March, 1920**	**226**	**8,568,138**	**116,885**	**6,823,595**	**0 4**	**84,845,634**
„ 1919	226	8,563,138	98,789	6,104,924	0 4	66,776,321

* Information at end of quarter.

No. 43.—Area under Crop.

Season ended June.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Sugar-cane Cut for Crushing.	Hay.	Vines. Wine-making.	Potatoes.	All Crops. *
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1909	1,394,056	180,812	59,881	6,951	715,896	4,472	26,301	2,713,971
1910	1,990,180	212,797	81,452	6,480	630,664	4,561	35,725	3,174,864
1911	2,128,826	213,217	77,991	5,596	638,577	4,354	44,452	3,381,921
1912	2,380,710	167,781	71,047	5,244	654,149	4,260	43,148	3,629,170
1913	2,231,514	176,471	85,175	6,137	947,062	4,403	34,124	3,737,269
1914	3,205,397	156,820	103,416	6,198	801,130	4,498	38,725	4,568,841
1915	2,758,024	143,663	43,476	6,012	785,944	4,113	30,418	4,808,627
1916	4,188,865	154,130	58,636	6,030	1,108,919	3,501	19,589	5,794,835
1917	3,806,604	155,378	67,111	5,223	858,532	3,442	22,449	5,163,030
1918	3,329,371	145,754	82,591	5,588	620,644	3,839	22,580	4,462,916
1919	2,409,669	114,582	83,474	4,566	814,960	3,961	21,034	3,893,602

* The figures in this column are exclusive of areas double-cropped.

No. 44.—Production of Crops.

Season ended June.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Sugar-cane.	Hay.	Wine.	Potatoes.	Total value of Agricultural Production.
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	gallons.	tons.	£
1909	15,483,276	5,216,038	1,119,558	144,760	730,014	736,262	71,794	8,318,900
1910	28,532,029	7,098,255	1,966,586	131,081	981,201	808,870	100,143	10,908,320
1911	27,913,547	7,594,130	1,702,706	160,311	843,080	805,600	121,033	9,493,060
1912	25,088,102	4,507,342	1,155,226	147,799	728,474	850,210	75,166	9,748,820
1913	32,487,336	5,111,990	1,674,075	140,914	1,108,275	719,100	91,642	11,816,790
1914	38,020,381	4,453,309	1,835,406	185,970	955,047	561,100	106,849	12,377,650
1915	12,830,530	3,174,825	513,910	181,606	613,262	549,140	40,709	10,031,760
1916	66,764,910	3,773,600	1,345,698	157,748	1,573,938	571,000	44,445	20,362,360
1917	36,598,000	4,333,480	1,984,980	143,558	1,174,050	628,950	45,331	11,487,830
1918	37,712,000	3,499,960	1,455,111	174,881	784,206	538,210	49,984	13,684,900
1919	18,325,000	2,091,921	1,273,752	105,234	753,630	555,770	30,887	12,264,010

No. 45.—Average Yield per acre of Crops.

Season ended June.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Sugar-cane.	Hay.	Wine.	Potatoes.	Value per acre.
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	gallons.	tons.	£ s. d.
1909	11·1	28·8	18·7	20·83	1·02	165	2·73	3 1 3
1910	14·3	33·4	24·1	20·23	1·56	177	2·80	3 8 9
1911	13·1	35·6	21·8	28·65	1·32	185	2·72	2 16 2
1912	10·5	26·9	16·3	28·18	1·11	200	1·74	2 13 9
1913	14·6	29·0	19·7	22·96	1·17	163	2·68	3 3 3
1914	11·9	28·4	17·7	30·00	1·19	125	2·76	2 14 2
1915	4·7	22·1	11·8	30·21	0·78	134	1·34	2 1 9
1916	15·9	24·5	23·0	26·16	1·42	163	2·27	3 10 3
1917	9·6	27·9	16·2	27·49	1·37	183	2·02	2 4 6
1918	11·3	24·0	17·6	31·30	1·26	140	2·21	3 1 4
1919	7·6	18·3	14·7	23·05	0·92	140	1·45	3 3 0
Av'ge for 10 years	11·4	27·8	18·5	26·79	1·21	161	2·26	2 17 4

No. 46.—Live Stock.

Year.	Horses.	Cattle.		Sheep.	Pigs.
		Dairy Cows.*	All other.		
31st Dec., 1908	591,045	777,149	2,178,785	43,370,797	215,822
„ 1909	604,784	794,549	2,233,178	46,202,578	237,849
„ 1910	650,636	866,030	2,274,277	45,560,969	321,632
1911	689,004	894,744	2,299,492	44,947,287	371,093
„ 1912	716,457	852,782	2,188,052	39,044,502	293,653
„ 1913	746,170	822,667	2,000,073	39,850,223	288,090
30th June, 1915	733,341	850,957	1,626,635	33,009,938	286,704
„ 1916	719,542	835,719	1,570,051	32,600,729	281,158
„ 1917	733,791	854,632	1,911,311	36,196,383	359,763
„ 1918	742,247	888,217	2,273,500	38,621,196	306,157
„ 1919	722,723	797,347	2,483,329	37,381,874	234,643

NOTE.—All returns of live stock for years subsequent to 1917 include Lord Howe Island.

*The figures for the last ten years are made up as follow :—

Period.	Milch Cows.	Dry Dairy Cows.	Heifers within 3 months of calving.	Total Dairy Cows.
31st Dec., 1909	566,378	189,507	38,664	794,549
„ 1910	632,786	193,657	39,587	866,030
„ 1911	638,525	218,593	37,626	894,744
„ 1912	620,730	201,310	30,742	852,782
„ 1913	600,420	189,769	32,478	822,667
30th June, 1915	426,173	344,247	80,537	850,957
„ 1916	426,227	317,368	92,124	835,719
„ 1917	424,033	319,230	111,369	854,632
„ 1918	429,556	347,834	110,827	888,217
„ 1919	445,354	273,154	78,839	797,347

No. 47.—Production—Pastoral and Dairying.

Year.	Wool (as in the grease).	Tallow.	Butter.	Cheese.	Bacon and Hams.
	lb.	cwt.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1908	338,129,000	420,630	61,380,876	4,763,360	9,488,299
1909	370,808,000	640,110	62 865,608	4,775,268	9,931,377
1910	415,338,000	742,200	76,624,830	5,191,089	12.620,067
1911	371,546,000	729,330	83,204,568	5,460,652	16,102,827
1912	326,804,000	568,500	76,609,528	5,454,685	16,526,376
1913	357,985,000	795,020	77,779,197	6.620,648	15,192.263
Jany. to June, 1914	131,810,000*	348.680*	42,427,000*	2 882,000*	6,587,000*
1914-15	318,935,000	711,850	84,134,280	6,356,627	15,327,048
1915-16	262.045 000	274,000	59.631,543	5,979,636	13,576,641
1916-17	270,525,000	379,660	79 364 471	7,830,239	15.788,156
1917-18	284,188,000	331,294	80,468,007	7,799,676	18,555,144
1918-19	305,613,000	.....	66 008,958	5,982,120	16.801,666

*Partly estimated.

No. 48.—Persons employed permanently in Rural Occupations.

Year ended 30th June.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Year ended 30th June.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1909	119,836	22,317	142,153	1915	122.510	23,792	146,302
1910	123,769	22,573	146,342	1916	119,277	24,147	143,424
1911	126,548	24,632	151,180	1917	116,092	26,077	142,169
1912	129,174	25,204	154,378	1918	112,549	26,904	139,453
1913	127,414	24,218	151,632				
1914	128,029	25,428	153,457	1919	113,913	25,588	139,501

No. 49.—Average Wholesale Prices in Sydney of N.S.W. Agricultural and Dairy Produce—Monthly.

Month.	Wheat (Milling).*	Flour (In 150 lb. bags).	Bran.	Pollard.	Oats.	Maize.	Hay (Oaten).
1918.	per bushel	per ton.	per bushel.	per bushel.	per bushel.	per bushel.	per ton.
	s. d.	£ s. d.	d.	d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.
July	4 9	11 0 0	9·6	13·2	4 11¾	5 8	7 14 0
August	4 9	11 0 0	9·6	13·2	5 0	5 9⅜	5 11 9
September ...	4 9	11 0 0	9·6	13·2	5 0	5 11¼	5 18 3
October	4 9	11 0 0	9·6	13·2	4 6⅞	6 2⅛	7 12 6
November ...	4 9	11 0 0	9·6	13·2	5 0	6 4⅝	8 2 6
December... ...	4 9	11 0 0	10·8	12·0	5 0	6 5⅞	8 5 0
1919.							
January	4 9	11 0 0	10·8	12·0	5 1½	7 9	9 0 9
February	5 0	11 0 0	13·8	15·0	5 5⅝	8 3	8 8 0
March	5 0	11 0 0	13·8	15·0	5 6⅜	8 1¼	7 7 6
April	5 0	11 0 0	13·8	15·0	5 6⅜	7 5⅛	8 8 3
May	5 0	11 0 0	13·8	15·0	5 6	8 0	9 6 9
June	5 0	11 0 0	13·8	15·0	5 6	7 4⅝	8 15 0
July	5 0	11 0 0	13·8	15·0	5 9	7 4⅞	9 9 6
August	5 0	11 0 0	13·8	15·0	6 0	7 5⅜	10 5 0
September ...	5 0	11 0 0	13·8	15·0	6 1⅞	8 0¾	10 10 9
October	5 6	12 0 0	15·6	15·6	6 1	8 5⅜	12 13 3
November ...	5 6	12 0 0	15·6	15·6	6 1	8 9¼	12 8 4
December ..	5 6	12 9 6	17·8	17·8	6 5	9 3	12 11 8
1920.							
January	6 5	12 14 6	24·9	24 9	6 7	9 9	9 17 10
February... ...	8 5	18 7 4	21·6	24	6 7	10 6	10 4 2
March	8 10	19 2 6	21·6	24	6 6	8 5	12 13 4

Month.	Potatoes (Local).	Butter (Good Brands)	Cheese (Prime).	Bacon (Sides).	Lard (Bulk).	Eggs.	
						"Norths and Souths."	New Laid.
1918.	per ton.	per lb.	per lb.	per lb.	per lb.	per doz.	per doz.
	£ s. d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	s. d.	s. d.
July	5 2 6	17¼	10½	12	10	1 5	1 6¼
August	6 0 0	17½	10½	11⅝	10	1 0¼	1 2
September ...	5 3 3	17½	10½	11½	10	0 9⅞	0 11½
October	6 11 9	16½	10½	11½	10	0 10¼	0 11
November ..	9 5 0	16⅝	11½	11½	9⅞	0 11⅛	1 0⅜
December... ..	8 14 3	18½	11½	13	9⅞	1 0½	1 2⅝
1919.							
January	16 16 9	18½	11½	13	10	1 0⅞	1 5½
February	12 3 3	18¾	11⅝	13	10	1 3½	1 8⅜
March	10 5 0	20	13½	13	10¼	1 6⅛	2 0½
April	11 0 0	19	12⅝	13¼	10	1 7⅛	2 3¾
May	11 5 0	9	13	13¼	10	2 1	2 6
June	9 1 9	19	13	13¼	10	2 2¾	2 9
July	13 10 0	19½	13	13¼	11⅜	1 6½	1 9⅜
August	14 3 3	19½	13	13¼	11⅜	1 1	1 3⅝
September ...	9 15 9	19½	13	13¼	11⅜	1 1¾	1 2¾
October	15 13 3	19½	13	13¼	12	1 2⅞	1 4
November ...	26 19 0	19½	13	15½	12	1 4	1 4⅝
December ..	22 6 0	19¾	13·2	15·4	12	1 5½	1 7¾
1920.							
January	15 16 7	21·1	13·2	15·5	12	1 7·3	2 0·1
February... ...	12 15 0	19·6	13·4	17·9	14·6	1 5	2 1·9
March	10 7 11	21·5	14·2	18·1	15·2	1 11·9	2 6·6

* Since the 25th March, 1916, the official f.o.b. price of wheat for flour for home consumption has been 4s. 10¾d. per bushel. This includes 3¼d. handling and commission charges; but city millers, handling grain for their own mills, obtain it for 1¾d. per bushel less than the f.o.b. price, so that since that date the price of wheat for flour for home consumption has been 4s. 9d. per bushel (on trucks), Sydney. On 1st February 1919, the price was raised to 5s per bushel, and to 5s. 6d. on 1st October 1919, to 6s. 6d. on 3rd January, 1920, to 7s. 8d. on 31st January, and to 8s. 10d. on 12th February.

No. 50.—Gold produced, January to March, 1919 and 1920.

Month.	1919.		1920.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
	oz. fine.	£	oz. fine.	£
January	4,120	17,499	6,586	27,976
February	5,754	24,440	3,763	15,986
March	3,714	15,777	4,941	20,985
Total three months (Jan.-Mar.) ...	13,588	57,716	15,290	64,947

No. 51.—Minerals produced during the years 1918 and 1919.

Minerals.	1918.		1919.		Increase in Value.	Decrease in Value.
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.		
		£		£	£	£
Metallic—						
Gold ... ... oz. fine	87,045	369,743	65,839	279,666	.....	90,077
Silver—Ingots and Matte oz.	2,007,037	419,498	1,232,710	292,838	.....	126,660
Silver—Lead, Ore, Concentrates, &c. ... ton	295,045	4,711,669	77,989	1,030,825	.....	3,680,844
Lead—Pig, &c. ... ... „	21,922	608,342	11,497	324,215	.....	284,127
Zinc Spelter & Concentrates „	87,019	295,413	72,294	247,395	.....	48,018
Tin Ingots and Ore ... „	1,920	548,876	2,692	416,623	.....	132,253
Copper, Ingots, Matte, and Ore ... ... „	6,510	696,580	1,460	139,296	.....	557,284
Antimony and Ore ... „	358	3,155	87	2,342	.....	813
Bismuth ... ... „	31	16,406	19	20,215	3,809	.....
Wolfram ... ... „	136	24,552	135	22,818	.....	1,734
Scheelite ... ... „	117	21,078	80	15,193	.....	5,885
Molybdenite ... ... „	93	41,850	66	30,308	.....	11,542
Platinum ... ... oz.	607	7,075	213	3,150	.....	3,925
Iron ... ... ton	68,072	350,000	80,941	445,175	95,175	.....
Iron Oxide ... ... „	2,153	2,255	2,725	3,406	1,151	.....
Ironstone Flux... ... „	6,322	6,388	2,128	2,072	.....	4,316
Non-metallic—						
Coal ... ... ton	9,063,176	4,941,807	8,631,554	5,422,846	481,039	.....
Coke ... ... „	608,492	647,798	424,773	550,127	.....	97,671
Kerosene Shale ... „	32,395	39,676	25,453	37,968	.....	1,708
Alunite ... ... „	3,406	17,030	2,485	14,910	.....	2,120
Limestone Flux ... „	103,644	44,608	83,032	22,779	.....	21,829
Marble ... ... —	.....	2,415	.....	3,151	736	.....
Diamonds ... ...carat	1,784	1,204	1,774	1,706	502	.....
Opal (Noble) ... ... —	... ..	20,600	.....	27,552	6,952	.....
Sundry Minerals ... —	.....	103,146	.....	88,483	.....	14,663
Total ... ... £	.....	13,941,164	.....	9,445,059	.....	4,496,105

Note.—The above table does not include lime and Portland cement, valued as follows:—Year 1918—Lime, £45,055; Portland cement, £433,133; total, £478,188. Year 1919—Lime, £57,411; Portland cement, £379,896; total, £437,307. These items are included in the manufacturing returns.

No. 52.—Value of Minerals Produced, and Total Miners Employed.

Year.	Gold.	Silver, Silver-lead, and Ore.	Copper.	Tin.	Coal.	Total Minerals Produced. *	Total Miners Employed.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	No.
1909	869,546	1,653,615	424,737	211,029	2,618,596	7,403,210	36,405
1910	802,211	1,861,479	486,257	228,156	3,009,657	8,455,170	37,413
1911	769,353	2,442,764	590,102	307,089	3,167,165	9,409,519	37,017
1912	702,129	3,481,266	579,791	338,074	3,660,015	11,228,677	37,858
1913	635,703	3,808,125	598,733	421,292	3,770,375	11,651,407	38,880
1914	528,873	3,241,263	274,671	267,130	3,737,761	10,038,020	36,467
1915	562,819	2,631,662	234,137	266,780	3,424,630	9,603,230	31,411
1916	459,370	3,284,991	586,127	306,497	3,336,419	10,515,856	31,304
1917	349,038	4,493,565	814,154	373,696	4,422,740	12,564,473	32,817
1918	369,743	5,131,167	696,580	548,876	4,941,807	13,941,164	33,663
1919	279,666	1,323,663	139,296	416,623	5,422,846	9,445,059	32,459

* Exclusive of Lime and Portland Cement.

No. 53.—Manufactories.

Year.	Establishments.	Persons Employed (including Working Proprietors).			Value of Plant and Machinery.	Salaries and Wages Paid.*	Value of Output.
		Males.	Females.	Total.			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
1908	4,453	67,616	21,482	89,098	9,718,842	7,218,556	40,163,826
1909	4,581	69,184	22,518	91,702	10,330,724	7,665,125	42,960,689
1910	4,821	75,384	24,327	99,711	11,578,620	8,687,007	49,615,643
1911	5,039	82,083	26,541	108,624	12,510,600	10,047,662	54,346,011
1912	5,162	88,178	27,383	115,561	13,795,195	11,592,052	61,163,328
1913	5,346	93,036	27,364	120,400	14,861,676	12,683,384	65,672,495
1914-15	5,269	90,409	26,202	116,611	16,866,982	12,667,721	68,253,332
1915-16	5,210	87,724	28,677	116,401	18,211,104	13,413,845	70,989,864
1916-17	5,356	88,910	29,087	117,997	20,364,122	14,381,309	85,944,320
1917-18	5,414	90,025	30,529	120,554	21,739,739	14,701,255	96,178,191
1918-19	5,450	95,786	30,695	126,481	23,384,922	†17,029,829	104,778,697

* Exclusive of drawings by Working Proprietors. † Of this amount, males received £15,073,693, and females £1,956,136.

No. 54.—Manufacturing Industries, 1918-19.

(Preliminary figures subject to revision).

Class of Industry.	Establishments.	Persons Employed. (including Working Proprietors).			Salaries and Wages Paid.*
		Males.	Females.	Total.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	£
Treating Raw Materials, Product of Pastoral Pursuits, &c.	247	4,123	152	4,275	612,269
Oils and Fats—Animal, Vegetable, &c. ...	40	1,074	308	1,382	198,140
Processes in Stone, Clay, Glass, &c. ...	291	6,374	99	6,473	945,685
Working in Wood	695	7,898	121	8,019	1,077,901
Metal Works, Machinery, &c.	636	27,251	577	27,828	4,812,504
Connected with Food, Drink, and Narcotics	802	12,712	5,172	17,884	2,310,744
Clothing and Textile Fabrics and Materials	957	7,630	18,728	26,358	2,244,696
Books, Paper, Printing, and Engraving ...	467	6,939	2,867	9,806	1,284,184
Musical Instruments, &c.	18	389	42	431	70,151
Arms and Explosives	5	1,113	6	1,119	230,467
Vehicles and Fittings, Saddlery, Harness, &c.	464	4,461	198	4,659	558,748
Ship and Boat Building	36	4,604	21	4,625	814,639
Furniture, Bedding, and Upholstery ...	257	3,380	459	3,839	483,898
Drugs, Chemicals, and By-products ...	114	1,333	933	2,266	262,029
Surgical and other Scientific Instruments...	18	173	20	193	26,888
Jewellery, Timepieces, and Platedware ...	53	668	99	767	116,034
Heat, Light, and Power	233	3,921	74	3,995	716,224
Leatherware, n.e.i.	32	558	304	862	86,902
Minor Wares, n.e.i.	85	1,185	515	1,700	177,726
Total	5,450	95,786	30,695	126,481	17,029,829†

Class of Industry.	Value of Machinery, Implements, and Plant.	Value of Materials used.	Value of Fuel Consumed.	Value of Goods Manufactured or work done.	Value of Production, being value added to Raw Materials.
	£	£	£	£	£
Treating Raw Materials, Product of Pastoral Pursuits, &c.	594,719	8,942,717‡	92,084	11,050,028	2,015,227
Oils and Fats—Animal, Vegetable, &c. ...	441,387	2,398,984	45,038	2,873,139	429,117
Processes in Stone, Clay, Glass, &c. ...	1,294,630	735,247	272,099	2,552,822	1,545,476
Working in Wood	973,872	2,807,622	35,993	4,359,006	1,515,391
Metal Works, Machinery, &c.	6,295,803	15,894,227	771,541	24,742,771	8,077,003
Connected with Food, Drink, and Narcotics	4,541,265	25,731,846	360,565	32,164,933	6,072,522
Clothing and Textile Fabrics and Materials	673,171	5,373,332	58,020	9,274,023	3,842,671
Books, Paper, Printing, and Engraving ...	1,400,721	2,265,044	48,167	4,459,197	2,145,986
Musical Instruments, &c.	17,512	128,371	1,292	236,399	106,736
Arms and Explosives	152,040	58,916	2,931	424,088	362,241
Vehicles and Fittings, Saddlery, Harness, &c.	232,520	630,433	19,917	1,367,146	716,796
Ship and Boat Building	1,387,448	529,185	22,727	1,472,061	920,149
Furniture, Bedding, and Upholstery ...	98,583	854,486	13,987	1,564,103	695,630
Drugs, Chemicals, and By-products ...	457,889	1,486,731	19,415	2,543,798	1,037,652
Surgical and other Scientific Instruments...	10,253	25,587	550	78,075	51,938
Jewellery, Timepieces, and Platedware ...	31,747	127,422	2,567	294,902	164,913
Heat, Light, and Power	4,639,238	1,251,986	553,331	4,047,676	2,242,359
Leatherware, n.e.i.	17,848	351,685	1,771	516,655	163,199
Minor Wares, n.e.i.	124,276	461,106	6,895	757,875	289,874
Total ... ... £	23,384,922	70,054,927	2,328,890	104,778,697	32,394,880

* Exclusive of drawings by working proprietors, females £1,956,136.

† Of this amount, males received £15,073,693 and

‡ Including value of wool treated.

No. 55.—Manufactories—Value of Production, 1901-19.

Class of Industry.	1901. (Census Year)	1911.	1916-17.	1917-18.	1918-19.
	£	£	£	£	£
Treating Raw Materials, Product of Pastoral Pursuits, &c.	337,739	649,759	1,215,284	1,598,714	2,015,227
Oils and Fats, &c.	160,718	266,094	457,979	746,094	429,117
Processes in Stone, Clay, Glass, &c. ...	422,272	1,083,972	1,133,343	1,174,486	1,545,476
Working in Wood	649,149	1,168,333	1,308,313	1,503,274	1,515,391
Metal Works, Machinery, &c.	2,443,432	4,864,882	7,475,868	7,751,028	8,077,003
Connected with Food, Drink, and Narcotics	2,237,369	3,463,455	4,332,062	4,853,858	6,072,522
Clothing and Textile Fabrics and Material	1,091,244	2,517,160	3,364,234	3,457,105	3,842,671
Books, Paper, Printing, and Engraving ...	950,771	1,440,173	1,930,581	2,078,516	2,145,986
Musical Instruments, &c.	22,309	76,596	91,263	108,427	106,736
Arms and Explosives	1,480	2,531	342,334	323,181	362,241
Vehicles and Fittings, Saddlery, Harness, &c.	266,016	607,307	657,831	717,469	716,796
Ship and Boat Building	148,800	370,490	697,099	616,913	920,149
Furniture, Bedding, and Upholstery ...	220,434	516,082	547,376	641,297	695,630
Drugs, Chemicals, and By-products ...	74,006	400,454	653,505	940,231	1,037,652
Surgical and other Scientific Instruments ..	17,304	19,172	31,426	40,792	51,938
Jewellery, Time-pieces, and Plated-ware ...	24,698	125,261	127,703	135,097	164,913
Heat, Light, and Power	624,567	1,373,532	2,035,332	2,070,442	2,242,359
Leatherware, n.e.i.	12,243	67,373	107,265	127,600	163,199
Minor Wares, n.e.i.	37,047	129,837	234,127	232,635	289,874
Total ... ... £	9,741,598	19,142,463	26,747,925	29,117,219	32,394,880

NOTE.—Prior to the year 1918-19, the value of production from factories dealing with milk products is omitted, as it has already been included in the returns of the Dairying Industry.

No. 56.—Value of Production—Principal Industries—1891-1918.

The following figures represent the estimated Value of Production from the various Industries at the place of production. The figures are not exact, but are considered the best approximations from the data available.

(*In thousands*, 000 *omitted.*)

Year.	Pastoral.	Agricultural.	Mining.	Dairying.	Minor—Poultry, Bees, Rabbits.	Forests and Fisheries.	Total Primary Industries.	Manufacturing (Value added to raw materials).	Total All Industries.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1891	14,725	3,615	6,434	2,735	*	758	28,267	7,799	36,066
1896	11,774	5,374	4,465	2,546	*	715	24,874	7,302	32,176
1897	11,823	6,250	4,616	2,653	*	750	26,092	8,079	34,171
1898	13,219	4,875	4,756	2,758	*	800	26,408	8,425	34,833
1899	14,527	5,609	5,960	2,543	*	639	29,278	9,207	38,485
1900	13,707	5,856	6,362	3,617	*	796	30,338	9,656	39,994
1901	12,552	7,060	5,681	3,046	*	733	29,072	9,742	38,814
1902	10,731	4,139	5,102	3,403	*	695	24,070	10,000	34,070
1903	12,777	8,359	5,958	3,276	*	779	31,149	9,601	40,750
1904	13,373	5,414	6,243	2,753	799	900	29,482	9,899	39,381
1905	17,113	6,543	6,897	3,123	1,228	1,190	36,094	10,631	46,725
1906	19,743	7,518	7,913	3,425	1,693	1,536	41,828	11,906	53,734
1907	22,281	6,588	10,295	3,567	1,708	1,382	45,821	13,481	59,302
1908	18,846	8,319	8,384	4,064	1,732	1,165	42,510	13,633	56,143
1909	19,040	10,908	7,403	3,983	1,990	1,096	44,420	14,536	58,956
1910	21,028	9,493	8,455	4,796	2,119	1,108	46,999	16,794	63,793
1911	19,434	9,749	9,410	5,215	2,055	1,195	47,058	19,143	66,201
1912	19,440	11,817	11,229	5,758	2,089	1,303	51,636	22,464	74,100
1913	20,738	12,378	11,651	5,455	2,416	1,400	54,038	23,482	77,520
1914-15	18,848	10,031	9,603	6,231	2,301	1,307	48,321	24,011	72,332
1915-16	21,576	20,362	10,516	5,473	3,215	1,370	62,512	24,927	87,439
1916-17	26,842	11,488	12,564	7,478	3,395	1,282	63,049	26,748	89,797
1917-18	28,435	13,685	13,941	8,480	4,144	1,400	70,085	29,117	99,202

* Included with the Dairying Industry.

No. 57.—Education.

Year.	Public Schools.				Private Schools.		
	Schools.	Teachers.	Scholars.	Expenditure by State on Education.	Schools.	Teachers.	Scholars.
				£			
1908	3,002	6,012	214,495	1,085,020	792	3,501	57,111
1909	3,075	6,176	213,739	1,109,939	789	3,633	58,361
1910	3,105	6,262	214,776	1,191,713	774	3,602	59,247
1911	3,125	6,517	221,810	1,242,576	756	3,659	60,963
1912	3,234	7,048	228,529	1,589,986	754	3,673	61,744
1913	3,285	7,261	241,784	1,686,155	733	3,593	64,591
1914	3,258	7,404	252,697	1,721,441	717	3,674	64,577
1915	3,254	7,890	258,017	1,686,882	718	3,682	64,863
1916	3,188	8,369	264,713	1,860,518	701	3,678	67,704
1917	3,221	8,759	277,874	1,899,333	659	3,707	68,516
1918	3,152	9,022	280,236	2,016,038	698	3,806	73,560

No. 58.—Posts, Telegraphs, and Telephones.

Year.	Post Offices open.	Letters and Letter Cards carried.	Post Cards carried.	Newspapers carried.	Packets, Books, and Parcels carried.	Miles of Telegraph and Telephone Line.	Telegrams transmitted.	Telephone Line Connections.
1908	2,368	134,684,520	14,969,312	50,461,252	38,330,311	16,338	5,149,763	22,414
1909	2,397	139,058,694	12,511,546	56,002,764	38,849,363	17,087	5,177,962	25,682
1910	2,437	151,315,512	12,438,544	66,963,559	40,609,036	17,615	5,607,178	30,117
1911	2,490	*189,656,401		71,619,194	38,032,322	18,253	5,863,560	34,551
1912	2,559	*192,996,376		68,696,648	34,755,556	18,268	6,364,990	38,900
1913	2,596	*212,639,659		64,874,811	40,902,342	19,254	6,573,667	43,845
1914	2,623	*217,907,644		66,216,699	36,576,538	20,828	6,703,019	49,040
1915–16	2,640	*219,525,661		72,067,335	35,881,119	†	7,027,084	51,905
1916–17	2,588	*259,185,729		68,546,782	31,136,805	†	7,152,913	57,553
1917–18	2,579	*255,177,316		62,320,777	27,767,569	†	7,598,417	62,123
1918–19	2,599	*240,591,473		63,367,875	25,864,897	†	7,936,453	65,734

* Includes all articles registered. † Not available.

No. 59.—Average Retail Prices of Food—Sydney.

Article.	Unit.	1919.						1920.						1919.		1918.	
		Oct.		Nov.		Dec.		Jan.		Feb.		Mar.		Mar.		Mar.	
		s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
Bread	2-lb. loaf	0	4·2	0	4·2	0	4·3	0	4·4	0	5·8	0	6	0	4·2	0	4
Flour	25-lb. bag.	3	11·7	4	1·5	4	2	4	3·9	6	1	6	1·4	3	9	3	6·7
„ self-raising ...	2 lb.	0	7·2	0	7·7	0	7·7	0	8 1	0	10·6	0	10·6	0	7·2	0	6·6
Tea	lb.	1	9·2	1	10·7	2	2·5	2	2·5	2	5·5	2	5·5	1	7	1	6·5
Coffee and Chicory ...	„	1	9·5	1	10·5	1	10·5	1	11·7	1	11·7	1	11·7	1	6	1	6·2
Cocoa	½ lb.	0	7 5	0	7·6	0	7·7	0	7·7	0	7·7	0	7·7	0	8·2	0	6·1
Sugar (small quantities)	lb.	0	3 5	0	3·5	0	3·5	0	3·5	0	3·5	0	3·5	0	3·5	0	3·5
Rice	„	0	6·5	0	6·6	0	6·7	0	6·8	0	6·7	0	6·7	0	3·4	0	3·4
Sago	„	0	6.2	0	6·7	0	6·7	0	6·7	0	6·7	0	6·6	0	4·7	0	4·6
Jam (Australian) ...	„	0	6·4	0	6·7	0	6·5	0	6·7	0	6·7	0	7·9	0	5·7	0	5·7
Oatmeal	5 lb. bag.	1	11	1	11	1	11·7	2	2·9	2	2·9	2	2·9	1	10	1	2·3
Raisins	lb.	0	8·5	0	8·6	0	8·6	0	8·6	0	8·6	0	10	0	8·7	0	7·6
Currants	„	0	8·7	0	9	0	9·1	0	9·1	0	9·2	0	10·9	0	9	0	8·1
Starch	„	0	8	0	8·6	0	8·9	0	9·2	0	9·2	0	9·2	0	7	0	7
Blue	doz. sqs.	1	5	1	5	1	5	1	5	1	5	1	5	1	5	1	0·9
Candles	lb.	0	11·9	1	0·1	1	0·7	1	1·4	1	1·4	1	1·4	0	10·6	0	10·2
Soap	„	0	6	0	6	0	6·5	0	6·6	0	6·9	0	7	0	4·6	0	4·1
Potatoes	14 lb.	3	4 4	4	0·4	3	6	3	1·2	2	5·6	2	0	2	3·9	1	4·5
Onions	lb.	0	3	0	3	0	2·7	0	2·5	0	3·1	0	2·7	0	2·3	0	1·7
Kerosene	gallon.	2	3·5	2	3·5	2	3·5	2	3·5	2	3·5	2	4·1	2	3·5	2	1·2
Milk	quart.	0	7	0	7·2	0	7·6	0	7·5	0	7·5	0	7·5	0	7	0	6
Butter	lb.	1	10·1	1	10·1	1	10·5	1	10·5	1	10·4	2	0·4	1	10·7	1	6·1
Cheese (new & matured)	„	1	4	1	4	1	3 8	1	3·3	1	3·3	1	4·3	1	3·9	0	11·7
Eggs, new laid ...	doz.	1	7·3	1	9	1	11·9	2	4·5	2	6·9	3	0·3	2	5·4	2	4·2
„ fresh	„	1	4 3	1	6	1	8·9	2	1·5	2	3·9	2	9·3	2	2·4	2	1·2
Bacon (middle cut) ...	lb.	1	8·1	1	8·5	1	8·6	1	9·5	1	11	1	11·2	1	5·6	1	5·1
„ (shoulder) ...	„	1	3·3	1	3·6	1	3·8	1	4·4	1	5·2	1	5·2	1	1·5	0	11·8
Ham	„	1	10·7	1	11·2	1	11·2	1	11·8	2	0·7	2	0·7	1	6·8	1	6·6
Beef, fresh—Sirloin ...	„	0	10·9	0	10·9	0	10·7	0	11·5	0	11·4	0	11·4	0	11·4	0	10·7
„ Ribs	„	0	9·1	0	8·9	0	8·7	0	9·9	0	10	0	9·9	0	9·6	0	9·6
„ Gravy	„	0	6·4	0	6·2	0	6·2	0	6·5	0	6·5	0	6·5	0	6	0	8·4
Steak—Rump ...	„	1	3·5	1	3·5	1	3·7	1	4·5	1	4·7	1	4·7	1	4	1	3·1
„ Shoulder ...	„	0	9·1	0	9·4	0	9·5	0	10	0	10·1	0	10·1	0	9	0	9·1
Beef (corned round) ...	„	0	9·5	0	9·5	0	9·5	0	10·1	0	10·2	0	10·2	0	9·6	0	9·2
Mutton—Leg ...	„	0	7·7	0	7·7	0	7·7	0	8	0	8	0	8	0	7·9	0	8
„ Shoulder ...	„	0	6·6	0	6·6	0	6·5	0	6·6	0	6·6	0	6·6	0	6·7	0	7
„ Loin ...	„	0	8·6	0	8·4	0	8·2	0	8·4	0	8·5	0	8·5	0	8·5	0	8·7
„ Neck ...	„	0	7·1	0	7·1	0	7	0	7	0	6·8	0	6·8	0	6·5	0	7·4
Chops—Loin	„	0	10·5	0	10·2	0	10	0	10·4	0	10·4	0	10·4	0	10·6	0	9·6
„ Leg	„	0	9	0	9	0	9	0	9·5	0	9·7	0	9·7	0	9·4	0	8·9
„ Neck ...	„	0	7·7	0	7·6	0	7·5	0	7·8	0	7·9	0	7·9	0	7	0	7·3
Lamb—Forequarter ...	„	0	8	0	8	0	8	0	8	0	8	0	8	0	7·5	0	8·7
„ Hindquarter ...	„	0	9·7	0	9·7	0	9·7	0	9·8	0	9·7	0	9·7	0	9·6	0	10·1
Pork, fresh—Leg ...	„	1	1·9	1	2	1	2	1	3·8	1	4	1	4	1	0·7	1	2·7
„ Chops	„	1	3·2	1	4	1	4	1	4·1	1	4	1	4·3	1	1·2	1	3·7

NOTE.—Prices of Groceries represent the predominant rates ruling about the 15th of each month.

No. 60.—Rates of Wages. (*March*, 1920.)

Aerated Water Factory Hands, adult males, 77/- per week; adult females, 32/6 per week.

Bakers (bread)—94/6 to 99/6 per week; (apprentices), 15/- to 45/- per week; (biscuit factories), 77/- per week.

Blacksmiths, 2/2⅛ per hour.

Boilermakers—2/1⅜ per hour, 1d. per hour additional, dirt money.

Bookbinders, 94/- per week.

Boot & Shoe makers—Male, 1/6 per hr.; females, 34/- to 42/ per week.

Brass Finishers (general), 1/11⅝ per hour; (engineering), 2/1⅝ per hour.

Bread-carters (42 to 54 h'rs per w'k), 89/- per w'k.

Bricklayers, 2/3 per hour.

Brick-carters, 1 to 4 horses, 77/- to 90/- per week. 4/- per week extra for each additional horse.

Brickmakers—
Burners, 15/6 per shift; machine men, 1/10½ per hour; setter, 1/11½ per hour; pitmen, 1/11 per hour.

Brushmakers—Male, 2/0¼ per hour, or 94/6 per week; females, 1/1¼ per hour or 45/- per week; or piece-work rates.

Butchers—Shopman, 80/-; carter, 77/-
„ Slaughtermen—Mutton, 36/- per hundred; Beef, £5 per week; Pork, £5 per week.

Carpenters and Joiners, 2/1½ per hour.

Cabinetmakers, 96/- per week.

Chairmakers, 96/- per week.

Cigarmakers, 2/9 to 8/6 per 100, acc'dg to shape.

Clerks—Males, 63/-; females, 35/- per week.
„ Junior (16 to 23 years)—Males, 12/6 to 63/-; females, 12/6 to 35/- per week.

Coach-painters, 1/11 per hour.

Coachsmiths, 1/11 per hour.

Coal lumpers, 2/6 per hour, day work; 3/6 per hour, night work.

Compositors (hand)—Journeymen, 97/- per week.
„ „ Piecework, 1/7⅛ to 1/8¼ per 1,000 ens.

Compositors (machine)—Linotype (newspapers), (piece rate) 5⅛d., (jobbing), 5d. per 1,000 ens.
„ „ Operators, 2/4 to 2/6 per hour.

Coppersmiths, 2/2⅛ per hour.

Drapers. (See "Shop Assistants.")

Dressmakers, 27/6 to 35/- per week.

Electricians—Mechanics, 1/8½ per hour; Fitters, 1/10½ per hour.

Engine-drivers (staty., &c.), 1/4¾ to 1/8 per hour.
Firemen „ 1/3⅝ to 1/4¾, per hr.

Farriers—Firemen, 97/- per week.
„ Floormen, 92/- „

Fitters, Turners (Engineering) 2/1⅝ per hour.

French-polishers, 96/- per week.

Grocers. (See "Shop Assistants.")

Hairdressers (49½ hours per week), 87/-.

Hotel, Club, Restaurant, Tea Room Employees—
Cooks (male), 77/- to 114/- per week.
Cooks (female), 41/10 to 70/4 per week.
Waiters, 77/- per week.
Waitresses, 18/6 to 41/3 per week.
Barmen, 77/- per week.
Barmaids, 43/- per week.
Storemen, 77/- per week.
Kitchenmen, 77/- per week.
Male hotel employees provided with board to receive 16s and female employees 14s. per week less than wages prescribed.

Ironmongers. (See "Shop Assistants.")

Ironworkers, 1/10⅞ per hour.

Jam Factory Workers—
Males, adults, 61/-; boys, 22/6 to 40/- per week, according to age.
Females, adults, 26/-; girls, 20/-; female fillers, 28/- and 37/- per week.

Labourers—Builders', 1/9½ to 1/10½; General, 1/9⅜ per hour.

Letter-press Machinists, 77/- per week.

Lithographers, 77/6 and 82/6 per week.

Marble-workers, 1/6 and 1/8 per hour.

Masons and Stone-cutters, 2/4½ per hour.

Navvies, 1/9⅜ per hour.

Painters (General), 2/- per hour.

Patternmakers, 2/2⅝ per hour

Plasterers, 2/2½ per hour.

Plumbers, 2/1½ per hour.

Quarrymen, 2/3 per hour.

No. 60.—Rates of Wages—*continued.*

Saw-mill Employees—Machinists, 61/6 to 75/-; Saw Sharpeners, 72/-; Sawyers, 60/6 to 72/- p.wk.

Shop Assistants (Metropolitan) Grocers, Tobacconists, &c., Males, 12/- to 86/6; Females, 10/- to 49/3 according to age.

Shop Assistants (Metropolitan) Drapers, Ironmongers, &c., adults—Males, 77/- to 88/- per week. Females, 37/6 to 42/- per week.

Slaters and Tilers, 2/3 per hour.

Stevedores—Foremen, (award rates) £4 and £5 per week: (accepted minimum, nor registered) £5 and £6 per week.

Storemen, per week—Wharf, 86/-; Wool, 62/- to 67/6; Bonded Store, 60/-; Hardware, 77/- to 95/-; Packer, 77/-; Softgoods (Wholesale) Storemen, 77/- to 95/- Packer, 77/- to 95/-; Wine and Spirit Storemen, 56/6; Drug Stores (Wholesale) Storemen, 77/-; Packers, 77/-; Grocers (Wholesale) Storemen 77/- to 88/6; Packers, 77/- to 88/6; Tobacconists (Wholesale) Storemen 77/- to 92/6; Packers, 77/- to 92/6; Storemen, n.e.i. 77/- to 87/-; Packers, n.e.i 77/-. Produce, Grain, and Seed Stores (Wholesale)—Storemen and Packers, 81/6 to 102/6 per week; do (Retail) 82/6 to 88/6. Retail Stores—Storemen & Packers, 81/- to 86/6. Oil and Colour Stores (Wholesale)—Storemen and Packers, 77/- to 87/-.

Tailors—Journeymen, 65/- to 82/6 per week, or log rates.
„ Cutters, 95/- and 105/- per week.
„ Pressers, 64/- per week.
„ Piece-work—log rates.

Tailoresses (coat hands), order, 29/6 to 40/- per w'k..
„ (trousers hands), order, 28/- to 34/- p. wk
„ Ready-made clothing for men—
Journeywomen on coats, 29/6 p. wk.
Journeywomen on trousers and vests, 28/- per week.
„ Piece-work—log rates.

Textile Workers, Adults—Males, 77/-; Females, 42/3.

Tinsmiths, 1/10½ per hour.

Trolly and Draymen—
Timber-carters, 1 horse, 78/-; 2 horses, 83/-; 3 horses, 86/6; 4 horses, 90/- per week.
Casual Drivers—1 horse, 14/7 per day, with 1/- per day extra for each additional horse.
Tip-carters, 1 horse, 78/6 to 81/-; 2 horses, 85/- to 87/- per week; 8d. per day extra for each additional horse.
Wood and Coal Carters—1 horse, 66/6 per week; 2 horses, 71/6 per week; 3/- per week for each extra horse.
Carters, Retail Stores—1 horse, 82/6; 2 horses, 87/6 per week; with 8d. per day extra for each additional horse.
Motor Waggon Drivers, 82/- to 87/- per week.; 4/- per ton extra over 4-tons carrying capacity.
Casual Drivers, 14/10 to 16/10 per day.

Upholsterers, 96/- per week.

Wharf Labourers—(State award) Casual employees, 1/9 per hour; constant or weekly hands, 61/6 per week; (Federal award) 2/3 per hour and 83/- per week.

Wheelwrights, 1/11 per hour.

NOTE.—Except in cases where employees are provided with board and/or lodging, or where entitled to any customary privileges or payments in kind, the amount of which has not been assessed by the Court of Industrial Arbitration, all adult female employees in the Metropolitan area receive a minimum wage of 39/- per week, 6/6 per day or 9¾d. per hour, under a Regulation made pursuant to Sec. 81 (1) of the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1912.

LIVING WAGE—METROPOLITAN AREA.

Adult Male Employee.—The N.S.W. Court of Industrial Arbitration in February, 1914, first defined the standard living wage and declared it for Sydney as £2 8s. per week. The Court on 17th December, 1915, increased the living wage to £2 12s. 6d. per week, and on 20th August, 1916, to £2 15s. 6d. per week. At the first inquiry by the Board of Trade in September, 1918, the living wage was fixed at £3 per week, and on 8th October, 1919, at £3 17s. per week (1s. 7¼d. per hour or 12s. 10d per day).

Adult Female Employee.—On 17th December, 1918, the living wage to be paid to an adult female employee in the metropolitan area was declared by the Board of Trade to be 7½d. an hour or 5s. a day, or £1 10s. a week. On 17th December, 1919, the living wage of an adult female employee was increased to 9¾d. an hour, 6s. 6d. a day, or £1 19s. a week.

No. 60.—Rates of Wages—*continued.*

(*March*, 1920.)

Coal Miners.

The employees in the Coal-mines in New South Wales work under Commonwealth Government Orders, Agreements or Awards. The rate paid to miners varies according to the conditions of the seams or places where the coal is mined.

	Northern District.	Southern District.	Western District.
Miners	3/11 $\frac{9}{16}$ to 5/11·3 per ton	3/2$\frac{3}{8}$ per ton	3/0$\frac{1}{4}$ to 3/3$\frac{1}{2}$ per ton.
Deputies	18/7 to 19/1 per day	£5 10/ per week	18/7 per shift.
Overmen (underground)	.....	£5 15/- to £7 10/- p.wk.	.....
Deputy Overmen	.....	£5 12/6 per week	.....
Shot-firers	17/7 to 18/1 per day	17/7 per day	.....
Waste-examiners	17/7 to 18/1 per day	.....	.....
Engineers and mechanics	1/9$\frac{3}{8}$ to 2/2$\frac{3}{8}$ per hour.	14/4$\frac{1}{2}$ to 19/2 per day	.....
Engine-drivers—			
Loco. engines	16/- to 17/- per day	17/- per day	.....
Winding	17/ to 18/ per day	18/- per day	18/- per shift.
Haulage	.....	15/9 per day	.....
Other engines	14/7 to 17/- per day	.....	15/7 per shift.
Stokers and firemen	13/6 to 14/7 per day	13/6 to 14/7 per day	1/11$\frac{3}{8}$ per hour.
Motor attendants or drivers.	6/2 to 14/1 per day	.....	.....
Shiftmen	14/- to 18/1 per day	16/8 per day	13/6 to 15/2 per day.
Wheelers	13/- to 14/9 per day	14/7 per day	15/2 per day, 4/1$\frac{1}{2}$ per score, 3$\frac{1}{2}$d. per hour.
Flatters	5/2 to 12/10 per day	14/7 per day	.....
Water-bailers	13/6 per day	14/7 per day	6/9 to 11/3$\frac{1}{2}$ per day.
Set riders	14/6 per day	.....	.....
Rolleyway men	13/11 to 15/9 per day.	.....	.....
Roadlayers	13/11 to 15/9 per day	.....	.....
Waggon packers	13/6 per day	.....	.....
Banksmen	15/2 per day	14/9$\frac{1}{4}$ per day	14/7 per. day.
Shunters	13/6 per day	.....	.....
Screenmen	13/6 per day	13/6 per day	.....
Onsetters	13/6 to 15/2 per day	15/1 per day	.....
Platelayers	.....	13/6 per day	.....
Harness-makers	1/9$\frac{7}{8}$ per hour	14/1 per day	.....
Stablemen	1/8$\frac{1}{4}$ per hour	13/6 per day	.....
Trappers	.....	5/7$\frac{1}{4}$ per day	.....
Labourers	1/8$\frac{1}{4}$ to 1/9$\frac{7}{8}$ per hour.	13/6 per day	13/6 to 14/7 per day.
Boys and Youths	5/2 to 12/10 per day	6/4$\frac{1}{2}$ per day (average).	6/- to 11/3$\frac{1}{2}$ per day.

Interstate and Intercolonial Steamers (per month).

Masters, £25 10/- to £77.
Officers, chief, £19 to £31; 2nd, £16 10/- to £26 10/-; 3rd, £17 to £23 10/-; junior, £16 10/-.
Firemen, £16 to £16 10/-.
Trimmers, £14.
Engineers, chief, £30/10/- to £51; 2nd, £25 to £33; 3rd, £22/10/- to £27/10/-; 4th, £19 10/- to £24 10/-.
Able Seamen, £14.
" " (sailing ships), £12 to £13.

Coastal (New South Wales) Steamers (per month).

Masters, £30 10/- to £43 10/-.
Officers, Chief, £22 to £25 10/-; 2nd, £18 10/- to £21 10/-; others, £16 10/- to £18.
Engineers, £19 10/- to £42.
Firemen, £16 to £16 10/-.
Donkeymen, £17.
Able Seamen and Trimmers, £14.
" " " (sailing ship), £8 to £10.
Cooks, £10 10/ to £17 10/-
Stewards (Chief), £16 10/ to £21.
" other, £12 10/ to £14 15/-.

Farm and Station Hands (with rations and lodging), per week or per year.

Boundary Riders, 40/-
Bullock Drivers, 42/-
Bush Carpenters, 35/- to 48/-
Cooks (station), male 42/- to 72/-, female 30/- to 42/-
Country Blacksmiths—
Station, 35/-
General (without rations), 50/- to 60/-
Milkers, 36/6.
Farm Labourers, 30/- to 40/-
Harvest Hands, accdg. to experience, 7/- to 12/- per day.
Horse-team Drivers, 42/-
Married Couples—
When wife cooks, £110 to £150.
Rouseabouts, 20/- to 42/-
Orchard Hands, 20/- to 30/-
Shearers (per 100 sheep), no rations, 30/-
Stockmen, 30/- to 48/-
Useful Boys, 15/- to 20/- (age under 18 to 21).
Vignerons, £52 to £55.
Rabbiters, minimum, 3d. to 8d. per pair; present rate 1/3 per pair.

Domestic Servants (with board and lodging), per week.

Cooks (Females)—
Station, 25/- to 35/-
Private house, 25/- to 40/-
Boarding-house, 40/- to 60/-
Cook and Laundress, 25/- to 30/-
House and Parlour Maid, 25/- to 30/-
General Servants (aged 18 years and upwards), 20/- to 30/-
Nursemaids (aged 15 to 20 years), 20/- to 25/-
Useful Girls (aged 15 to 18 years), 12/6 to 17/6.
Gardeners, 25/- to 48/-
Grooms and Coachmen, 25/- to 48/-

No. 61.—New Buildings erected in Metropolis—Annual.

Year.	Returns of Board of Water Supply and Sewerage.		Municipal Returns.			
	Buildings erected and assessed.	Cost of Buildings, including additions to old Buildings.	Buildings for which permission to build was granted.	Estimated Cost of New Buildings.	Estimated Cost of Alterations and Additions.	Total Cost, Buildings, Alterations, and Additions.
	No.	£	No.	£	£	£
1912	7,773	5,067,000	8,339	4,988,000	636,000	5,624,000
1913	7,853	5,919,000	9,342	6,512,000	815,000	7,327,000
1914	8,831	6,162,000	8,548	5,236,000	586,000	5,822,000
1915	6,141	4,664,000	6,066	3,850,000	548,000	4,398,000
1916	5,043	4,037,000	5,051	3,395,000	519,000	3,914,000
1917	4,331	3,184,000	4,811	3,150,000	341,000	3,491,000
1918	4,047	3,256,000	4,954	3,822,000	461,000	4,283,000
1919	4,892	4,314,000	7,116	6,462,000	736,000	7,198,000

No. 62.—New Buildings—Metropolis—Monthly.

Month.	1920.			1919.		
	City.	Suburbs.		City.	Suburbs.	
	No.	No.	Value.	No.	No.	Value.
			£			£
January	15	630	503,772	16	415	303,481
February	15	659	684,188	11	445	303,241
March	13	723	623,632	16	467	340,917
Total (3 months)	43	2,012	1,811,592	43	1,327	947,639

No. 63.—New Buildings—Metropolis.

NUMBER and Value of New Buildings and of Alterations and Additions in each Municipality during the three months, January to March.

Municipality.	Estimated Population 31st December, 1919.	New Buildings (to erect which permission granted).				Alterations and Additions,			
		1920.		1919.		1920.		1919.	
		No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.
			£		£		£		£
City of Sydney ...	108,500	43	*	43	*	162	*	109	*
Alexandria	11,690	17	18,920	8	3,279	7	935	6	685
Annandale	12,730	6	8,900	3	1,500	12	2,122	9	1,640
Ashfield	30,830	67	51,635	51	33,805	28	3,870	58	2,680
Balmain	33,840	11	7,300	4	1,370	18	15,245	14	505
Bexley	12,600	42	32,445	55	31,670	11	670	12	1,280
Botany	5,940	3	1,550	6	1,750	7	5,885	15	1,345
Burwood	14,380	50	50,505	26	19,880	21	3,965	24	1,183
Canterbury	30,850	165	101,220	133	78,563	54	5,202	54	3,273
Concord	8,520	117	139,650	40	23,840	30	2,452	15	434
Darlington	3,890	1	400	Nil.	...	2	60	Nil.	...
Drummoyne	15,770	87	209,325	47	36,627	25	4,115	16	1,289
Eastwood	1,730	14	9,300	8	4,450	1	300	Nil.	...
Enfield	6,930	52	34,450	36	17,438	17	1,005	11	879
Erskineville	7,830	Nil.	...	5	3,725	5	470	Nil.	...
Glebe	22,980	9	15,220	5	3,980	3	551	4	740
Homebush	1,340	22	13,150	8	4,140	4	640	Nil.	...
Hunter's Hill ...	6,370	23	17,573	7	5,475	15	1,380	7	1,265
Hurstville	12,030	46	27,580	35	18,452	14	743	22	1,390
Kogarah	14,660	86	52,980	59	33,421	18	1,847	23	1,159
Lane Cove	6,000	67	51,289	31	21,550	10	495	17	1,521
Leichhardt	28,720	20	12,525	16	7,360	18	2,092	16	1,280
Manly	15,180	62	65,170	27	23,775	Nil.	...	Nil.	...
Marrickville	38,680	41	23,350	23	12,910	12	6,702	8	1,446
Mascot	9,360	14	11,755	9	3,205	11	585	8	254
Mosman	18,360	36	29,200	28	27,700	22	5,830	22	2,615
Newtown	28,460	2	450	7	2,600	4	2,008	6	1,077
North Sydney ...	43,290	54	69,980	32	41,800	56	18,199	50	7,349
Paddington	26,420	3	4,040	2	1,250	11	1,020	6	1,185
Petersham	24,990	18	14,675	32	22,120	38	22,196	11	868
Randwick	38,930	214	174,928	176	131,588	59	32,395	62	21,882
Redfern	25,360	7	10,200	1	350	4	12,560	8	1,490

* Information is not available.

No. 63.—New Buildings—Metropolis—*continued.*

Municipality.	Estimated Population, 31st December, 1919.	New Buildings (to erect which permission granted). 1920. No.	1920. Value.	1919. No.	1919. Value.	Alterations and Additions. 1920. No.	1920. Value.	1919. No.	1919. Value.
			£		£		£		£
Rockdale	22,080	117	69,104	49	25,343	27	750	27	926
Ryde	11,590	51	32,049	37	31,456	12	788	5	257
St. Peters	12,110	6	3,465	2	1,050	5	800	6	284
Strathfield	6,300	38	36,665	19	12,960	25	1,932	18	829
Vaucluse	2,950	14	18,525	12	15,110	11	1,208	7	340
Waterloo	11,450	14	13,001	3	2,250	7	625	3	700
Waverley	30,820	100	90,996	82	69,600	48	13,184	34	2,621
Willoughby	25,100	141	104,160	92	57,431	26	2,738	52	2,787
Woollahra	22,350	74	87,677	48	52,460	48	23,184	34	31,435
Ku-ring-gai Shire ...	16,790	101	96,285	63	60,406	55	5,137	42	7,820
Total Suburbs ...	720,200	2,042	1,811,592	1,327	947,639	801	205,885	732	108,677
Total City of Sydney	108,500	43	*	43	*	162	*	109	*
Grand Total ...	828,700	2,055	*	1,370	*	963	*	841	*

* Information is not available.

No. 64.—New Buildings—Country Municipalities—March Quarter, 1920.

Municipality.	Estimated Population 31st December, 1919.	New Buildings (to erect which permission granted). No.	Value.	Municipality.	Estimated Population 31st December, 1919.	New Buildings (to erect which permission granted). No.	Value.	Municipality.	Estimated Population 31st December, 1919.	New Buildings (to erect which permission granted). No.	Value.
			£				£				£
Aberdeen ...	800	Nil.	...	Gunnedah ...	3,850	Nil	...	Nowra	1,850	*	*
Albury	7,000	17	17,921	Hay	2,200	Nil	...	Nyngan ...	1,300	1	400
Armidale ...	5,550	1	520	Hillgrove ...	900	Nil	...	Orange	7,500	25	17,825
Auburn ...	11,910	40	24,500	Hillston... ...	620	*	*	Parkes	3,650	16	8,800
Ballina	2,850	6	5,192	Illawarra Central	5,400	4	2,300	Parramatta ...	12,630	15	8,685
Balranald ...	700	Nil.	...	Illawarra North	6,000	3	1,450	Peak Hill ...	1,550	*	*
Bankstown ...	7,000	105	56,290	Ingleburn ...	430	3	2,000	Penrith ...	3,850	1	300
Barraba ...	1,430	Nil.	...	Inverell ...	5,750	3	975	Picton ...	920	1	500
Bathurst ...	9,100	12	6,065	Jamberoo ...	1,080	Nil	...	Port Macquarie...	1,200	2	1,000
Bega	2,050	3	1,400	Junee	2,900	*	*	Prospect and Sherwood.	6,090	34	13,887
Berry	1,520	6	*	Katoomba ...	7,400	10	6,145				
Bingara ...	1,450	Nil.	...	Kempsey ...	3,450	10	5,975	Queanbeyan ...	1,300	1	200
Blackheath ...	2,200	4	2,525	Kiama	1,600	Nil	...	Quirindi ...	2,800	2	885
Blayney ...	1,550	Nil	...	Lidcombe ...	8,770	25	15,395	Raymond Terrace. ...	950	3	1,000
Bombala ...	830	Nil	...	Lismore... ...	8,850	11	6,650	Richmond ...	2,000	3	1,500
Bourke	1,250	Nil	...	Lithgow ...	10,900	13	7,275	Scone	1,250	Nil	...
Bowral	1,850	2	860	Liverpool ...	4,060	8	2,030	Shellharbour ...	1,370	1	400
Braidwood ...	1,080	2	920	Maclean ...	1,800	*	*	Shoalhaven Sth.	640	Nil	...
Brewarrina ...	700	Nil	...	Maitland East ...	3,300	8	4,500	Singleton ...	3,100	5	1,490
Broken Hill ...	22,950	4	3,200	Maitland West...	9,100	6	1,355	Smithfield and Fairfield.	3,520	9	5,457
Broughton Vale..	230	Nil	...	Manilla	1,900	Nil	...	St.Mary's ...	1,750	Nil	...
Burrowa ...	940	1	1,050	Mittagong ...	1,000	4	2,350	Tamworth ...	8,250	12	5,700
Cabramatta and Canley Vale .	1,760	12	3,675	Moama	850	Nil	...	Taree	1,600	11	9,000
Camden... ...	1,900	2	850	Molong	1,550	1	100	Temora ...	3,800	2	950
Campbelltown...	1,900	Nil	...	Moree	3,300	9	2,610	Tenterfield ...	3,050	3	990
Carcoar ...	530	Nil	...	Morpeth ...	1,050	1	400	Tumut	1,600	Nil	...
Casino	4,950	2	2,000	Moss Vale ...	1,570	1	*	Ulladulla ...	1,370	Nil	...
Castlereagh ...	550	2	600	Mudgee ...	3,100	Nil	...	Ulmarra ...	2,050	2	550
Cobar	2,600	Nil	...	Mullumbimby ...	1,200	4	5,600	Uralla	1,320	1	500
Condobolin ...	1,500	5	1,945	Murrumburrah..	2,850	2	1,250	Wagga Wagga ...	7,650	41	33,791
Cooma	2,100	2	1,235	Murrurundi ...	1,920	1	*	Walcha	1,600	Nil	...
Coonamble ...	2,700	3	835	Murwillumbah ...	3,950	*	*	Wallendbeen ...	1,200	Nil	...
Cootamundra ...	3,500	9	4,965	Muswellbrook ...	2,200	5	2,900	Warialda ...	800	3	950
Coraki	1,460	2	400	Narrabri	2,800	1	*	Warren	1,150	Nil	...
Corowa	2,200	1	250	Narrabri West ...	900	*	*	Wellington ...	4,750	1	600
Cowra	4,500	1	650	Narrandera ...	2,500	2	800	Wentworth ...	500	1	600
Cudgegong ...	2,650	Nil	...	Narromine ...	1,500	1	1,000	Wilcannia ...	600	1	300
Deniliquin ...	2,550	1	300	Newcastle and Suburbs—				Windsor ...	3,700	2	1,100
Dubbo	5,200	10	*	Newcastle City	13,250	21	93,513	Wingham ...	1,200	5	6,630
Dundas ...	2,330	21	22,900	Adamstown ...	2,950	8	3,775	Wollongong ...	5,900	6	3,650
Dungog ...	1,950	4	2,190	Carrington ...	2,600	1	400	Wrightville ...	900	Nil	...
Ermington and Rydalmere.	1,740	1	500	Hamilton ...	9,900	40	39,555	Wyalong ...	1,150	1	850
Forbes	5,300	15	7,000	Lambton ...	2,870	3	1,250	Yass	2,200	2	*
Gerringong ...	650	Nil	...	Lambton, New	1,980	22	11,792	Young	3,750	5	5,650
Glen Innes ...	5,150	7	4,215	Merewether ...	4,600	16	9,535				
Goulburn ...	11,000	21	14,116	Stockton ...	2,250	16	10,410				
Grafton ...	5,350	5	2,255	Wallsend ...	5,850	9	4,855				
Grafton South ...	1,500	1	150	Waratah ...	7,200	72	47,670				
Granville ...	12,030	40	28,000	Wickham ...	9,450	18	8,975				
Grenfell ...	1,610	5	1,690	Total, Newcastle and Suburbs.	62,900	226	222,730	Total ...	485,060	959	652,094
Greta	1,200	1	200								
Gulgong ...	1,800	3	800								
Gundagai ...	1,250	*	*								

* Information not available.

No. 65.—Local Government, 1907 and 1917

(Particulars of Municipalities and Shires).

Local Areas.		Area.	Population	Unimproved Capital Value (000's omitted).	Improved Capital Value (000's omitted).	* Assessed Annual Value (000's omitted).	Revenue.		Expenditure	
							From Rates.	Total.	On Works.	Total.
		acres.		£	£	£	£	£	£	£
City of Sydney	1907	2,892	118,370	20,208	45,750	2,323	193,053	339,619	275,659	398,330
	1917	3,327	106,000	31,130	81,976	3,534	456,612	1,161,406	544,643	1,228,187
Suburbs ...	1907	92,367	458,810	19,583	57,578	3,726	252,030	320,990	230,859	327,152
	1917	91,932	656,480	36,809	101,494	7,400	669,550	899,375	713,924	872,942
Total Metropolitan	1907	95,259	577,180	39,791	103,328	6,049	445,083	660,609	506,518	725,482
	1917	95,259	762,480	67,939	183,470	10,934	1,126,162	2,060,781	1,258,567	2,101,129
Country—										
Newcastle and Suburbs	1907	18,979	55,730	3,165	6,867	413	30,343	48,586	38,526	56,735
	1917	18,979	59,600	3,520	9,549	620	57,482	128,558	77,968	107,610
Other Country Municipalities	1907	1,805,659	356,170	11,711	34,801	2,378	254,636	386,655	288,447	389,939
	1917	1,723,296	394,200	20,831	52,506	3,873	459,334	935,925	613,405	860,489
Total Country Municipalities	1907	1,824,638	411,900	14,876	41,668	2,791	284,979	435,241	326,973	446,674
	1917	1,742,275	453,800	24,351	62,055	4,493	516,816	1,064,483	691,373	968,099
Total Municipalities	1907	1,919,897	989,080	54,667	144,996	8,840	730,062	1,095,850	833,491	1,172,156
	1917	1,837,534	1,216,280	92,290	245,525	15,427	1,642,978	3,125,264	1,949,940	3,069,228
Shires	1907	114,643,200	521,430	81,527	†...	†...	287,635	535,659	249,608	385,605
	1917	115,621,120	658,880	107,695	†...	†...	691,090	1,112,523	1,000,983	1,140,727
Total, all Local Areas	1907	116,563,097	1,510,510	136,194	†...	†...	1,017,697	1,631,509	1,083,099	1,557,761
	1917	117,458,654	1,875,160	199,985	†...	†...	2,334,068	4,237,787	2,950,923	4,209,955

NOTE.—The area unincorporated at 31st December, 1917, was 81,179,426 acres, the population of which was 13,969.

* Equal to nine-tenths of Annual Rental Value. † Not available.

No. 66.—Local Government, 1907–1917.

Year.	Municipalities (including City of Sydney).				Shires.			
	Unimproved Capital Value (000's omitted).	Revenue.		Total Expenditure.	Unimproved Capital Value (000's omitted).	Revenue.		Total Expenditure.
		From Rates.	Total.			From Rates.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1907	54,667	730,062	1,095,850	1,172,156	81,527	287,635	535,659	385,605
1908	64,113	815,914	1,405,780	1,314,544	82,415	370,373	626,868	656,219
1909	63,255	930,895	1,650,642	1,424,767	83,464	376,897	717,144	676,784
1910	63,529	958,611	1,705,211	1,701,996	89,936	423,477	794,374	753,150
1911	69,844	1,066,787	1,898,447	1,800,428	94,190	469,605	881,030	832,206
1912	72,276	1,144,644	2,129,928	2,081,434	97,661	524,485	999,498	933,325
1913	72,885	1,282,500	2,509,605	2,340,558	99,452	572,892	836,511	886,090
1914	81,949	1,488,364	2,734,952	2,495,139	103,451	623,690	1,044,992	996,471
1915	83,473	1,541,396	2,902,562	2,738,836	104,746	626,514	1,066,121	1,018,870
1916	89,267	1,639,091	3 088,062	2,898,005	105,698	651,437	1,093,023	1,078,897
1917	92,290	1,642,978	3,125,264	3,069,228	107,695	691,090	1,112,523	1,140,727

No. 67.—Crown Lands Selections.

LANDS SELECTED UNDER THE CROWN LANDS ACT AND CLOSER SETTLEMENT ACTS.

Description of Holding.	1st January to 31st December, 1919.		March Quarter, 1920.	
	Applicants.	Area.	Applicants.	Area.
ORIGINAL HOLDINGS.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.
Original Conditional Purchases	304	46,145	71	10,266
,, ,, ,, for returned soldiers	2	282	...	...
Conditional Leases applied for simultaneously with and in virtue of these O.C. Purchases	(128)	45,329	(25)	8,572
Crown Leases—ordinary	645	973,929	152	165,487
,, ,, for returned soldiers	72	173,943	8	29,363
Homestead Farms—ordinary	196	187,043	35	19,944
,, ,, for returned soldiers	381	476,756	66	62,246
Suburban Holdings—ordinary	208	3,788	52	1,433
,, ,, for returned soldiers	1	1	...	...
Settlement Purchases (Closer Settlement Acts)	12	8,859	7	2,664
,, ,, ,, ,, for returned soldiers	5	3,836	4	1,930
Irrigation Farms	61	4,864	21	1,230
,, for returned soldiers	151	7,988	99	3,947
Town Blocks (without residence) within an Irrigation Area	99	19	27	7
Week-end Leases	20	185	3	36
Special Holdings for returned soldiers	178	11,861	40	3,665
Homestead Selections	4	5,829	...	...
Special Conditional Purchase Lease	4	454	...	...
Original ,, ,, ,,	1	370	...	...
Total	2,344	1,951,486	585	310,790
ADDITIONAL HOLDINGS.				
Additional Conditional Purchases (Crown Lands)	341	63,989	75	11,180
,, ,, ,, for returned soldiers	4	1,672	...	...
Conditional Leases not applied for simultaneously with O.C. Purchases	353	121,400	80	22,315
Additional Homestead Selections	12	6,659	1	101
,, ,, ,, for returned soldiers	3	3,754	...	...
,, Settlement Leases	6	9,555	2	2,600
,, Conditional Purchase Leases	3	845	...	...
,, Crown Leases	48	40,207	10	4,961
,, ,, ,, for returned soldiers	3	742	1	333
,, Homestead Farms	58	49,761	11	7,416
,, ,, for returned soldiers	8	4,808	2	343
,, Suburban Holdings	21	391	7	109
,, ,, ,, for returned soldiers	2	7	...	...
Total	862	303,580	180	49,398

LANDS SET APART FOR RESIDENTIAL SETTLEMENT.

Description of Holding.	1st January to 31st December, 1919.		March Quarter, 1920.	
	Blocks.	Area.	Blocks.	Area.
ORIGINAL HOLDINGS.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.
Crown Leases—ordinary	130	183,335	43	27,617
,, ,, for returned soldiers	87	212,152	4	22,100
Homestead Farms—ordinary	90	109,764	26	21,183
,, ,, for returned soldiers	730	1,020,639	66	56,025
Suburban Holdings—ordinary	202	4,070	32	345
,, ,, for returned soldiers	1	1	8	2
Special Holdings for returned soldiers	221	13,290	38	1,996
Settlement Purchases (Closer Settlement Acts)	10	6,731	3	2,101
,, ,, for returned soldiers	16	13,272	7	2,250
Irrigation Farms	15	1,623	...	...
,, for returned soldiers	308	13,332	110	6,924
Group Purchases for returned soldiers	17	11,161	...	...
Week-end Leases	16	462	...	...
Town Lands Blocks (without residence) within an Irrigation Area	173	44	...	...
Original Homestead Selections	..	..	1	640
Original Conditional Purchases	14	2,723	4	1,876
,, ,, ,, for returned soldiers	..	..	2	135
Original Conditional Purchase and Conditional Lease in virtue thereof	26	10,611	7	4,652
,, ,, ,, ,, ,, for ret. soldiers	2	380	...	...
Total	2,058	1,613,590	351	147,857
ADDITIONAL HOLDINGS.				
Every Class of Additional Holdings	256	174,219	79	33,575
,, ,, ,, for returned soldiers	1	300	1	380
Additional Conditional Purchases	9	1,749	2	109
,, ,, ,, for returned soldiers	..	..	1	66
,, Conditional Purchases and Conditional Leases	15	5,439	2	158
,, ,, ,, ,, ,, for ret. soldiers	11	5,037	1	260
,, Homestead Selections	4	1,694	...	...
,, ,, ,, for returned soldiers	3	3,754	...	...
,, Settlement Leases	1	2,600	...	...
,, Suburban Holdings	33	522	3	136
,, ,, ,, for returned soldiers	3	75	...	...
,, Crown Leases	10	8,438	1	2,200
,, ,, ,, for returned soldiers	1	351	1	233
,, Homestead Farms	17	33,678	2	1,589
,, ,, ,, for returned soldiers	11	5,463	4	3,819
,, Homestead Farms and Additional Crown Leases	...	...	...	...
,, ,, ,, or ,, Settlement Leases	1	739	...	..
Total	376	244,059	97	42,525

No. 68.—Comparative Summary—New South Wales, 1861–1919.

	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1911.	1919.
Area, 310,372 square miles.							
Population.							
31st December ... ... persons	357,978	517,758	782,080	1,162,190	1,376,199	1,698,736	2,000,173
Births ... ... No.	14,681	20,143	28,993	39,458	37,875	47,677	48,528
,, ... rate	41·56	39·64	37·90	34·55	27·71	28·64	24·71
Deaths ... ... No.	5,343	6,407	11,536	16,286	16,021	17,179	26,385
,, ... rate	15·12	12·61	15·08	14·26	11·72	10·32	13·44
Marriages ... ... No.	3,222	3,953	6,284	8,457	10,538	15,267	15,818
,, ... rate	9·12	7·78	8·21	7·41	7·71	9·17	8·06
Agriculture.							
Total area under crop... acres	295,917	393,413	583,868	846,383	2,276,528	3,629,170	3,893,602
Wheat—Area ... ... ,,	123,468	154,030	221,887	356,666	1,392,070	2,380,710	2,409,669
Yield .. .. bshl.	1,606,034	2,229,642	3,405,966	3,963,668	14,808,705	25,088,102	18,325,000
Average ... ... ,,	13·0	14·5	15·4	11·1	10·6	10·5	7·6
Maize—Area ... ... acres	57,959	119,956	117,478	174,577	167,333	167,781	114,582
Yield... ... ... bshl.	1,727,434	4,015,973	4,330,956	5,721,706	3,844,993	4,507,342	2,091,921
Average ... ... ,,	29·8	33·5	36·9	32·8	22·9	26·9	18·3
Hay—Area ... ... acres	45,175	51,805	146,610	163,163	442,163	654,149	814,960
Yield ... ... tons	57,363	77,460	198,532	209,417	472,621	728,474	753,630
Average ... ... ,,	1·27	1·50	1·36	1·28	1·07	1·11	0·92
Total value of all Agricultural production £	*	2,220,000	4,216,000	3,615,000	7,060,000	9,749,000	12,264,000
Total value per acre under crop ... ... £	*	5/11/9	7/4/5	4/5/5	3/2/0	2/13/9	3/3/0
Pastoral, Dairying, &c.							
Sheep ... ... No.	5,615,054	16,278,607	36,591,945	61,831,416	41,857,099	44,947,287	37,381,874
Cattle ... ... ,,	2,271,923	2,014,888	2,597,348	2,128,838	2,047,454	3,194,236	3,280,676
Horses ... ... ,,	233,220	304,100	398,577	469,647	486,716	689,004	722,723
Pigs ... ... ,,	146,091	213,193	213,916	253,189	265,730	371,093	294,648
Production of Wool ... lb.	19,254,800	74,401,300	161,676,000	375,600,000	310,075,000	371,546,000	305,613,000
Value (f.o.b., Sydney) £	1,408,000	4,760,000	7,187,200	11,059,300	9,072,100	13,264,000	20,374,000
Production of Butter... lb.	*	*	*	18,362,897	39,056,878	83,204,568	66,078,958
,, Cheese... ,,	*	*	*	5,506,071	3,838,835	5,460,652	5,982,120
,, Bacon & Ham ,,	*	*	*	6,009,600	11,080,891	16,102,827	16,501,665
Total value of Pastoral and Dairying Production £	*	8,709,000	13,151,000	17,460,000	15,598,000	24,649,000	..
Mineral Production.							
Gold ... ... oz. fine	425,209	294,389	135,033	131,654	173,543	181,121	63,839
£	1,866,171	1,250,485	573,582	559,231	737,164	769,353	279,666
Silver ... ...oz	...	...	...	729,590	448,501	1,767,496	1,232,710
£	...	...	...	134,850	50,484	177,095	292,838
Silver-lead & ore, &c. ...ton	...	...	...	147,780	417,078	338,469	77,989
£	...	...	...	3,484,739	1,803,979	2,265,669	1,030,825
Copper—ingots & ore, &c. ...ton	*	*	4,124	2,710	6,733	12,100	1,460
£	3,532	11,828	267,884	119,195	412,292	590,102	139,295
Tin—ingots and ore ... ...ton	...	*	6,433	1,657	659	1,929	2,692
£	...	(2)12,227	568,795	133,963	76,544	307,089	416,623
Zinc—Spelter, Concentrates ton	...	...	...	219	632	516,378	72,294
£	...	...	...	2,622	4,057	1,414,980	247,395
Coal ... ...ton	342,068	898,785	1,769,597	4,037,929	5,968,426	8,691,604	8,631,554
£	218,821	316,340	603,248	1,742,796	2,178,929	3,167,165	5,422,846
Total value of all Mineral Production ... ... £	2,029,000	1,626,000	2,138,000	6,434,000	5,681,000	9,410,000	9,445,000
Production from Minor Primary Industries (including Forests and Fisheries). £	*	(3) 400,000	(3) 650,000	(3) 758,000	(3) 733,000	3,250,000	..
Production all Primary Industries £	*	12,955,000	20,155,000	28,267,000	29,072,000	47,058,000	..
,, ,, ,, per head £	*	25/9/10	26/6/11	24/15/-	21/5/4	28/5/5	..
Land Settlement.							
Alienated holdings—							
1,000 acres and under ... No.	*	*	36,259	46,566	64,950	81,722	86,124
area	*	*	6,628,310	8,827,066	10,673,563	13,669,311	14,917,743
1,000 to 10,000 acres ... No.	*	*	2,646	4,307	5,160	7,803	9,793
area	*	*	6,990,312	11,370,329	13,305,738	19,551,728	24,499,924
Over 10,000 acres ... No.	*	*	449	677	719	708	768
area	*	*	14,073,587	21,884,299	22,638,524	20,185,845	19,557,022
Manufactories.							
Factories ... ... No.	601	1,813	2,961	3,056	3,367	5,039	5,450
Persons employed ... .. males	*	*	28,819	43,203	54,556	82,083	95,786
,, ,, ... females	*	*	2,372	7,676	11,674	26,541	30,695
Salaries and Wages paid ... £	*	*	*	4,872,704	4,945,079	10,047,662	17,029,829
Value of Machinery and Plant £	*	*	*	4,386,475	5,860,725	12,510,600	23,384,922
Total value of Output ... £	*	*	*	16,807,132	25,648,471	54,346,011	104,778,697
Value of Production (value added to raw materials) ... £	*	2,424,000	5,025,000	7,799,000	9,742,000	19,432,000	32,394,880
,, ,, per head £	*	4/15/5	6/11/4	6/16/7	7/2/6	11/10/-	16/15/5
Shipping.							
Inwards, Vessels ... ... No.	1,327	1,891	2,254	2,702	2,769	3,127	2,335
,, ,, ... tons	366,235	706,019	1,456,239	2,752,157	4,133,200	6,822,135	4,452,004
Outwards, Vessels ... No.	1,396	2,123	2,103	2,654	2,853	3,146	2,275
,, ,, ... tons	379,462	794,460	1,330,261	2,801,320	4,274,101	6,833,782	4,301,617

* Not available.

(2) Year 1872. (3) Value of Forests and Fisheries only. Other minor industries (poultry, bees, &c.) are included in Pastoral and Dairying.

No. 68.—Comparative Summary—New South Wales, 1861-1919—*continued.*

	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1911.	1919.
Trade							
Imports, Oversea ... ... £	4,547,813	5,481,655	11,829,007	15,127,641	17,560,207	27,343,428	43,592,732§
,, ,, per head £	12/17/6	10/15/9	15/9/3	13/4/11	12/16/11	16/8/7	22/11/5
Exports, Oversea ... ... £	3,690,748	5,452,840	9,753,644	14,620,889	18,210,627	32,161,401	48,858,517‡
,, per head £	10/8/11	10/14/7	12/15/0	12/16/0	13/6/5	19/6/5	25/5/11
Interstate Transfers, Inwards £	2,056,255	4,453,412	5,758,005	10,255,756	9,368,011	*	*
,, ,, Outwards £	2,918,713	5,808,379	6,554,161	11,323,131	9,140,497	*	*
Produce of New South Wales, exported Oversea. (1)							
Wool (greasy and scoured) lb.	12,745,891	38,323,302	81,906,922	235,470,988	217,285,747	295,315,438	250,034,912
£	1,396,426	2,292,522	4,107,715	7,670,460	7,420,119	11,704,409	17,819,394
Wheat and Flour§ .. ... bus.	28,025	8,445	21,699	54,947	5,204,892	11,324,845	13,969,178
£	9,570	2,414	5,337	11,683	680,719	2,519,354	4,979,570
Butter§ ... ... lb.	(2) 53,088	(2) 1,153,040	402,421	401,690	8,699,817	33,044,324	8,530,479
£	2,536	27,415	11,992	17,756	379,341	1,518,993	667,624
Frozen Mutton and Lamb§ lb.	...	...	*	*	39,369,792	59,948,989	23,045,322
£	...	...	*	*	382,385	682,027	538,236
Other Meats§ ... ... £	11,536	130,999	191,774	194,013	486,304	928,587	2,911,893
Tallow ... ... £	58,393	245,352	244,271	292,672	362,631	671,018	875,231
Leather ... ... £	6,810	83,899	130,417	130,774	347,327	323,517	1,141,449
Skins and Hides ... ... £	77,127	38,115	130,277	376,295	431,232	1,145,138	2,423,562
Minerals and Ores (exclusive of Gold) ... ... £	65,372	248,936	1,214,085	1,392,076	1,893,314	4,072,531	8,237,366
Timber, undressed... ... £	2,221	3,990	12,930	44,437	76,124	243,811	125,058
Public Finance. (3)							
Net Revenue proper ... £	1,421,831	2,215,846	6,551,134	9,773,332	11,007,356	15,797,135	23,448,166
,, ,, per head ... £	4/0/6	4/7/2	8/11/3	8/11/2	7/19/11	9/9/0	12/2/10
,, Expenditure proper ... £	1,529,788	2,666,948	5,625,749	10,215,820	11,008,173	16,137,279	23,233,398
,, ,, per head £	4/6/7	5/4/11	7/7/1	8/18/11	8/0/0	9/10/0	12/-/7
Loan Expenditure ... ... £	409,121	488,727	2,397,368	4,750,167	4,939,241	5,491,103	3,918,887
,, ,, per head £	1/3/2	1/9/3	3/2/8	4/3/2	3/11/9	3/4/8	2/0/7
Public Debt.							
Total ... ... £	4,017,630	10,614,330	16,974,019	52,930,733	67,361,246	95,523,926	147,174,536
Per head ... ... £	11/4/6	20/10/-	21/12/10	45/11/3	49/7/1	57/9/9	75/1/4
Banks.							
Deposits ... ... £	5,029,692	7,043,886	20,308,017	35,659,690	33,258,456	55,327,038	93,865,094
Advances ... ... £	5,764,059	7,668,022	20,935,596	45,068,914	35,068,787	42,453,515	88,803,710
Assets... ... ... £	8,809,829	11,592,076	27,870,483	53,596,259	43,437,559	61,903,824	119,046,261
Liabilities ... ... £	6,292,170	8,016,832	22,394,316	37,589,764	35,077,832	57,755,159	97,749,442
Savings Banks.							
Depositors ... ... No.	13,282	24,379	72,384	158,426	306,311	544,023	984,951
Deposits ... ... £	615,409	945,915	2,698,701	5,342,135	11,808,710	25,361,338	47,670,342
Average per depositor ... £	46/6/8	38/16/0	37/5/8	33/14/5	38/11/0	46/12/4	47/15/9
,, per head of population £	1/14/5	1/16/6	3/9/0	4/11/11	8/11/7	14/18/7	24/0/2
Railways. (4)							
Line open ... ... miles	74	359	996	2,197	3,026	3,832	4,824
Capital cost ... ... £	1,536,032	5,887,258	13,301,597	33,312,608	40,565,073	53,514,903	76,601,591
Passengers ... ... No.	595,591	759,062	6,927,312	19,918,916	30,885,214	70,706,728	98,568,768
Net Earnings ... ... £	13,817	158,257	705,892	1,193,044	1,401,317	2,321,882	3,053,723
Net return on capital invested per cent.	·90	2·69	5 31	3·58	3·48	4·41	3·99
Tramways. (4)							
Line open ... ... miles	...	...	9½	48	104	195¾	225
Capital cost ... ... £	...	...	169,450	1,099,659	2,829,363	5,664,324	8,568,138
Passengers ... ... No.	...	...	7,090,125	71,477,948	108,135,111	266,789,546	258,797,814
Net Earnings ... ... £	...	...	10,442	56,799	89,773	249,980	386,977
Net return on capital invested per cent.	...	...	6·16	5·28	3·17	4·63	4·52
Postal.							
Offices ... ... No.	340	570	1,128	1,728	2,208	2,490	2,599
Letters and Post Cards ... No.	4,369,463	7,509,500	26,534,160	68,987,300	82,783,467	189,656,401	240,591,473
,, ,, per head	12·37	14·77	34·62	60·41	60·56	113·94	124·56
Newspapers ... ... No.	3,384,245	3,902,100	16,527,900	42,517,300	52,317,650	71,619,194	63,367,875
,, per head	9·58	7·86	21·60	37·23	38·27	43·03	32·81
Telegraphs and Telephones.							
Stations ... ... No.	36	89	318	674	978	1,406	2,252
Length of wire (5) ... ...miles	1,981	5,579	14,278	24,780	46,153	31,123	*
Telegrams ... ... No.	74,204	218,530	1,607,206	4,046,251	3,449,315	5,863,560	7,936,453
Telephone Line Connections No.	...	...	...	1,558	9,864	34,551	63,734
Money Orders.							
Issued in New South Wales £	...	293,370	771,378	1,577,744	1,637,488	2,819,183	4,844,721
Paid ,, ,, £	...	271,842	675,025	1,518,987	1,669,730	2,949,264	5,012,664
Public Schools.†							
Schools at close of the year No.	179	659	1,406	2,461	2,818	3,125	3,152
Teachers ... ... No.	*	810	2,199	4,438	5,212	6,517	9,022
Scholars on roll (6)... ... No.	11,660	39,070	144,119	206,438	210,588	221,810	280,236
Average attendance ... No.	*	*	*	122,528	154,404	160,776	225,790
Expenditure by the State on Education, etc. ... ... £	76,911	151,225	687,422	1,002,379	918,819	1,390,146	2,214,360

* Not available. † The figures under heading 1919 are for the year ended 30th June, 1918. ‡ Exclusive of gold.
§ Includes Ship Stores exported oversea.

(1) The exports in 1919 include articles produced in other States of Australia. Since 1st January, 1912, the Federal Customs Department has classified all goods produced in the Commonwealth simply as "Australian," without distinguishing, as formerly, the particular State where they were produced. (2) Includes cheese. (3) For 1861 Gross Revenue and Expenditure are shown. Particulars for 1901 and 1911 are for the year ended 30th June following. (4) Subsequent to 1881 the particulars are for the year ended 30th June following. (5) 1891 and 1901 include telephone wire; 1911 is exclusive of mileage of wire erected for railways; total length, 1914, last year of record. (6) 1901 and following years are for the December quarter.

No. 69.—Agricultural Statistics in detail—Years ended 30th June, 1918, and 1919.

Name of Crop.	Year ended 30th June, 1918.			Year ended. 30th June, 1919.		
	Area.	Production.	Average Yield per Acre.	Area.	Production.	Average Yield per Acre.
	Acres.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Acres.	Bushels.	Bushels.
Grain—						
Wheat	3,329,371	37,712,000	11·3	2,409,669	18,325,000	7·6
Maize	145,754	3,499,960	24·0	114,582	2,091,921	18·3
Barley (malting)	4,246	63,891	15·0	5,929	65,682	11·1
„ Other (feed)	2,124	33,933	16·0	2,051	20,631	10·1
Oats	82,591	1,455,111	17·6	86,474	1,273,752	14·7
Rye	1,677	19,296	11·5	1,330	12,054	9·1
Hay—		Tons.	Tons.		Tons.	Tons.
Wheaten	435,180	484,708	1·11	613,544	517,370	0·84
Barley	844	1,083	1·28	1,238	1,058	0·85
Oaten	118,917	150,097	1·26	152,842	145,638	0·95
Rye	995	1,146	1·15	977	1,161	1·19
Lucerne	64,708	147,172	2·27	46,359	88,403	1·91
Green Fodder (Fed off)—						
Wheat	63,885			204,161		
Maize	13,640			25,990		
Barley	4,676			7,336		
Oats	20,120	(Estimated		29,719	(Estimated	
Rye	997	value)		1,453	value)	
Lucerne	32,720	£296,460		49,232	£477,369	
Rape	1,935			1,754		
Sorghum, Millet, etc.	14,420			11,243		
Sugar-cane	126			241		
Root Crops—		Tons.	Tons.		Tons.	Tons.
Potatoes—Summer crop.	5,080	12,373	2·43	7,520	12,898	1·72
„ Winter crop	17,500	37,611	2·15	13,359	17,458	1·31
„ Sweet	362	2,005	5·54	155	531	3·43
Onions	163	784	4·81	335	1,048	3·10
Turnips	419	1,670	3·99	582	1,581	2·72
Mangold-wurzels	25	281	11·24	10	37	3·70
Other	20	115	5·75	14	54	3·86
Miscellaneous crops—						
Broom Millet	1,918	7,163 bush. of seed. 9,261 cwt. of fibre.	10·2 bush. 4·88 cwt.	3,019	5,616 bush. of seed. 13,883 cwt. of fibre.	1·9 bush. 4·60 cwt.
Tobacco	791	2,609 cwt. of dried leaf.	3·30 cwt.	1,680	20,952 cwt. of dried leaf.	12·47 cwt.
Sugar-cane—						
Crushed	5,588	174,881 tons	31·30 tons.	4,566	105,234 tons	23·05 tons.
Stand-over, etc.	5,008	.....	.....	5,924	.....	.....
Grapes—		Tons.	Tons.		Tons.	Tons.
For Wine	3,839	4,172	1·09	3,961	3,979	1·00
Wine made	.....	538,215 gals.	140 gals.	.....	555,768 gals.	140 gals.
For table use	2,081	1,710 tons	0·82 tons.	2,060	2,415 tons	1·17 tons.
For drying purposes	542	5,412 cwt.	9·99 cwt.	574	5,946 cwt.	10·4 cwt.
Young Vines	2,132	.....	...	2,145	.....	.....
Fruits—		Bushels.	Bushels.		Bushels.	Bushels.
Citrus—Productive	19,133	1,737,107	90·79	20,529	1,619,346	78·88
Young Trees	6,311	.....	.....	7,068	.....	.....
		£	£		£	£
Bananas	2,691	89,040	33	3,028	155,660	51
Pineapples	48	760	16	35	960	27
Other—Productive	22,121	1,813,667 bush	81·99 bush.	23,819	2,021,380 bush	84·95 bush.
Young Trees	13,784	.....	.....	12,971	.....	.....
Market Gardens	10,139	£409,379	£40 7s.	10,043	£441,068	£43 18s.
Tomatoes	487	139,470 ½-cses	286 ½-cases	480	110,587 ½-cses	230 ½ cases.
Peas and Beans (dry)	319	8,337 bushels	26·1 bush.	557	9,595 bushels	17·2 bush.
Pumpkins and Melons	2,805	10,692 tons	3·81 tons.	2,363	7,254 tons	3·07 tons.
Nurseries	618	66,500	108	674	69,316	103
Other crops	66	2,765	42	7	175	25
Total area of crops	4,462,916	£13,684,900	£3 1s. 4d.	3,893,602	£12,280,190	£3 3s. 1d.

NOTE.—Land under crops which failed is reckoned in the average.

No. 70.—Production of Fruit, 1914 and 1919.

Class of Fruit.	1913-14.			1918-19.		
	Trees of bearing age.	Young trees not yet bearing.	Total production.	Trees of bearing age.	Young trees not yet bearing.	Total production.
	No.	No.	Bushels.	No.	No.	Bushels.
Oranges—Seville	866,843	242,643	661,217	94,114	31,054	109,180
„ Washington Navel				208,044	141,850	181,003
„ Valencia				231,267	182,148	198,397
„ All other				593,885	90,932	502,321
Total	...	...	...	1,127,310	445,984	990,901
Lemons	231,330	33,921	180,597	251,311	88,063	222,612
Mandarins	398,298	59,915	310,318	461,389	97,040	397,775
Other Citrus	2,178	2,076	1,848	4,904	1,093	8,058
Apples	535,797	406,921	495,898	703,406	371,554	519,327
Pears—Williams	127,064	93,898	152,537	111,505	104,017	85,174*
All other				64,967	40,894	52,088
Total	...	...	...	1,597,482	702,661	1,285,034
Peaches—Early	501,926	244,919	354,054	480,209	140,797	386,771
Canning				170,421	92,333	179,336
Nectarines				38,201	10,271	28,137
Total	...	...	...	688,831	243,401	594,244
Plums	125,731	66,102	138,465	123,023	101,388	105,352
Prunes				23,787	46,692	20,945
Total	...	...	...	146,810	148,080	126,297
Apricots	87,532	28,970	86,572	102,487	42,124	78,409
Cherries	139,638	80,606	41,744	135,579	100,987	62,282
Quinces	38,375	7,318	41,984	26,939	13,271	27,985
Figs	4,461	2,893	7,952	5,123	6,837	4,714
Persimmons	5,714	1,392	8,401	11,000	3,769	11,310
Loquats	6,303	755	11,647	7,040	1,907	3,417
Guavas	644	174	586	886	422	886
Walnuts	723	2,855	1,755	987	3,154	1,064
Mulberries	241	227	1,214	222	87	307
Almonds	3,690	4,583	2,650	11,610	9,685	10,314
			Tons.			Tons.
Grapes—Table	2,376	...	3,883	2,060	...	2,415
			Bushels.			Bushels.
Passion Fruit	124,379	23,233	38,597	108,053	31,513	49,059
			Cases.			Cases.
Bananas	105,494	106,355	31,714	954,071	208,294	259,427
						Dozen.
Pineapples	† ...	...	...	39,924	1,771	3,825
			Bushels.			Bushels.
Strawberries	† ...	...	...	110,200	...	252
Gooseberries	3,983	470	1,646	5,095	9,342	1,222
Other Small Fruit	100	104	...	590	556	180
Other Fruit	139	88	341	185	151	223
Other Nuts	72	739	13	3	57	2

* And 2¼ cwt. dried fruit. † Not stated.

No. 71.—Area under Fruit Gardens and Orchards, 1908-9 to 1918-19.

Season.	Citrus Fruit.		Other Fruit.		All Fruit.		
	Productive.	Total.	Productive.	Total.	Productive.	Young Trees not Bearing.	Total.
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1908-9	16,570	18,610	23,170	27,270	39,740	6,140	45,880
1909-10	17,214	19,858	20,060	25,859	37,274	8,443	45,717
1910-11	17,465	20,108	20,498	27,246	37,963	9,391	47,354
1911-12	17,271	20,423	19,602	27,768	36,873	11,318	48,191
1912-13	17,213	20,573	19,375	28,484	36,588	12,469	49,057
1913-14	16,643	20,443	19,248	30,486	35,891	15,038	50,929
1914-15	16,675	21,912	18,500	31,067	35,175	17,804	52,979
1915-16	17,542	23,259	19,006	32,179	36,548	18,890	55,438
1916-17	17,542	23,848	20,761	34,120	38,303	19,665	57,968
1917-18	19,133	25,444	22,121	35,905	41,254	20,095	61,349
1918-19	**20,529**	**27,597**	**23,795**	**36,765**	**44,324**	**20,038**	**64,362**

No. 72.—Value of Fruit Production (at Orchard), 1908-9 to 1918-19.

Season.	Citrus Fruit.	Other Fruit.	Total.	Average Value per Acre of Productive Trees.
	£	£	£	£ s. d.
1908-9	129,610	231,370	360,980	9 1 8
1909-10	196,820	233,050	429,870	11 10 8
1910-11	199,300	271,930	471,230	12 8 3
1911-12	289,140	373,800	662,940	17 19 7
1912-13	239,040	305,660	544,700	14 17 9
1913-14	219,820	244,950	464,770	12 19 0
1914-15	257,870	233,130	491,000	13 19 2
1915-16	252,170	243,210	495,380	13 11 1
1916-17	254,120	280,990	535,110	13 19 5
1917-18	384,660	376,390	761,050	18 8 11
1918-19	**745,070**	**742,730**	**1,487,800**	**33 11 4**

No. 73.—Area under, and Production of, Vineyards—1908-9 to 1918-19.

Season.	Area under Vines.				Production.		Value of Production.	
	For Wine.	For Fruit.	Young Vines.	Total.	Wine.	Table Grapes.	Wine.†	Grapes, Sultanas, Raisins, &c.
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	gallons.	tons.	£	£
1908-9	4,472	3,124	655	8,251	736,260	3,150*	63,370	50,130
1909-10	4,561	3,090	679	8,330	808,870	4,181*	60,660	61,450
1910-11	4,354	3,164	803	8,321	805,600	3,914*	55,380	56,350
1911-12	4,260	2,967	1,004	8,231	850,210	4,223*	63,760	77,170
1912-13	4,403	3,011	749	8,163	719,100	3,893*	59,920	90,010
1913-14	4,498	2,830	825	8,153	561,100	3,883*	43,250	91,060
1914-15	4,113	2,643	1,229	7,985	549,140	2,667*	43,470	74,800
1915-16	3,501	2,716	1,666	7,883	571,000	2,940*	46,390	98,400
1916-17	3,442	2,734	2,490	8,666	628,950	2,214*	52,410	68,260
1917-18	3,839	2,623	2,132	8,594	538,210	1,710*	47,090	53,860
1918-19	**3,961**	**2,634**	**2,145**	**8,740**	**555,770**	**2,415***	**83,370**	**113,920**

*In addition, there were dried fruits—Sultanas, Raisins, &c.-1,435 cwt. in 1909 ; 1,482 cwt. in 1910 ; 2,656 cwt. in 1911 ; 3,839 cwt. in 1912 ; 4,417 cwt. in 1913 ; 4,874 cwt. in 1914 ; 3,843 cwt. in 1915 ; 7,954 cwt. in 1916 ; 6,515 cwt. in 1917 ; 5,412 cwt. in 1918 ; and 5,946 cwt. in 1919.

†Excluding Vigneron's Brandy.

No. 74.—Fruit Gardens and Orchards (excluding Nursery Stocks)—1918-19.

Class of Fruit.	Productive.		Not yet Bearing.		Total Production
	Area.	Trees.	Area.	Trees.	
	acres.	No.	acres.	No.	bushels.
Oranges	12,543	1,127,310	4,986	445,984	990,901
Mandarins	5,134	461,389	1,085	97,040	397,775
Lemons	2,797	251,311	985	88,063	222,612
Other citrus	55	4,904	12	1,093	8,058
Total, Citrus Fruit	20,529	1,844,914	7,068	632,180	1,619,346
Apples	8,271	703,406	4,416	371,554	519,327
Peaches and Nectarines	8,099	688,831	2,893	243,401	137,262
Pears	2,075	176,472	1,723	144,911	594,244
Cherries	1,594	135,579	1,200	100,987	62,282
Plums and Prunes	1,727	146,810	1,760	148,080	126,297
Apricots	1,205	102,487	500	42,124	78,409
Quinces	317	26,939	158	13,271	27,985
Almonds	136	11,610	115	9,685	10,314
Persimmons	129	11,000	45	3,769	11,310
Figs	61	5,123	81	6,837	4,714
Loquats	83	7,040	23	1,907	3,417
Passion	42	...	5	...	*49,059
Other Fruit	56	4,814	51	4,335	4,136
Total, all other Fruit	23,795	2,020,111	12,970	1,090,861	1,628,756
Grand Total	**44,324**	**3,865,025**	**20,038**	**1,723,041**	**3,248,102**

* Includes production from vines grown among fruit trees.

NOTE.—Particulars relating to bananas, pines, etc., are not included in the foregoing tables.

No. 75.—Classification of Sheep Flocks as at 30th June, 1918 and 1919.

Size of Flocks.	30th June, 1918.			30th June, 1919.		
	Flocks.	Sheep.	Percentage of Number of Sheep in each Group.	Flocks.	Sheep.	Percentage of Number of Sheep in each Group.
1 to 100 ...	5,478	227,710	0·59	5,577	244,325	0·65
101 „ 500 ...	8,226	2,196,121	5·68	8,747	2,385,836	6·38
501 „ 1,000 ...	4,161	2,974,254	7·70	4,440	3,186,075	8·52
1,001 „ 2,000 ...	3,448	4,872,996	12·62	3,560	5,027,172	13·45
2,001 „ 5,000 ..	2,593	7,915,345	20·49	2,480	7,569,874	20·25
5,001 „ 10,000 ...	826	5,650,751	14·63	809	5,572,070	14·91
10,001 „ 20,000 ...	416	5,858,824	15·17	400	5,672,645	15·18
20,001 „ 50,000 ...	217	6,331,867	16·40	195	5,523,927	14·78
50,001 „ 100,000 ...	33	2,165,542	5·61	28	1,865,185	4·99
100,001 and over	4	427,786	1·11	3	334,765	0·89
Total	25,402	38,621,196	100·00	26,239	37,381,874	100·00

No. 76.—Live Stock Slaughtered in New South Wales, 1918-19.

Particulars.	Year ended 30 June, 1918.			Year ended 30 June, 1919.		
	County Cumberland (Metropolitan Districts).	Balance of State.	Total New South Wales.	County Cumberland (Metropolitan Districts).	Balance of State.	Total New South Wales.
Establishments	49	838	887	48	831	879
Persons employed	971	2,241	3,212	1,830	2,294	4,124
Animals slaughtered—						
Sheep	1,603,617	1,475,902	3,079,519	2,342,940	1,607,751	3,950,691
Lambs	67,715	54,944	122,659	247,055	76,984	324,039
Total, Sheep and Lambs	1,671,332	1,530,846	3,202,178	2,589,995	1,684,735	4,274,730
Bullocks	134,112	124,018	258,130	143,738	131,066	274,804
Cows	21,948	68,691	90,639	37,892	73,954	111,846
Calves	24,339	4,915	29,254	44,207	6,330	50,537
Total, Cattle	180,399	197,624	378,023	225,837	211,350	437,187
Swine	160,933	168,934	329,867	198,307	186,113	384,420

No. 77.—Live Stock in New South Wales, at 30th June, 1917-19.

Classification.	1917.	1918.	1919.
Horses—			
1 year and under 4—Colts and geldings	110,130	105,010	94,823
Fillies	79,802	74,799	70,041
4 years and upwards—Stallions	7,074	6,407	5,587
Mares	259,510	267,192	260,499
Geldings	228,188	242,007	251,758
Foals under 1 year	49,087	46,832	40,015
Total	733,791	742,247	722,723
Cattle—			
Dairy cows—In milk	424,033	429,556	445,354
Dry	319,230	347,834	273,154
Heifers—Springing	111 369	110,827	78,839
Other—over 1 year	167,665	177,872	173,101
Steers and young bulls—1 year and under 3	414,815	507,111	562,432
Bulls—3 years and over	29,812	34,386	37,105
Breeding cows, heifers, bullocks, &c.	799,727	920,890	1,104,824
Calves—under 1 year	499 292	633,241	605,867
Total	2,765,943	3,161,717	3,280,676
Sheep—			
Rams	433,774	483,131	488,435
Ewes	19,090,657	20,710,813	19,983,516
Wethers	8,255,827	9,115,604	9,958,974
Lambs	8,416,125	8,311,648	6,950,949
Total	36,196,383	38,621,196	37,381,874
Swine—			
Boars	18,429	17,965	15,048
Sows	118,643	130,626	96,148
Barrows	83,929	96,170	74,561
Suckers	138,762	151,396	108,891
Total	359,763	396,157	294,648
Goats—Angora	7,365	8,015	5,999
Other	31,945	30,887	30,335
Total	39,310	38,902	36,334
Other live stock—			
Camels	2,434	2,050	1,881
Mules	198	225	174
Donkeys	147	146	27
Ostriches	560	494	508

No. 78.—Wheat Harvest, 1919-20.

As was stated in January last, when a preliminary estimate was issued from the Bureau of Statistics, the continuous drought throughout the State has had a most serious effect upon the wheat crop, and it is found that 55,000 more acres failed than was estimated four months ago.

The actual area harvested for grain (including that which failed entirely) was 1,450,540 acres. The total area which failed entirely or was fed-off was 1,287,340 acres, of which 319,000 acres was to have been harvested for grain, and 84,480 for hay, while 883,860 acres were fed-off.

The production of grain amounted to 1,432,210 bags, equivalent to 4,296,630 bushels, or 3·0 bushels per acre. This is 197,000 bushels less than was anticipated in January, and with the exception of 1902-3 is the lowest yield during the present era of wheat-growing, which began in 1897. The production of hay was 354,530 tons, equal to an average yield of ½ ton per acre.

The following table shows the final results of the harvest in the principal divisions of the State, together with a comparison of the experience of the whole State with that of each of the previous five years :—

FINAL STATEMENT OF THE WHEAT HARVEST IN 1919-20.

Division.	Area Harvested for—		Total Area Sown with Wheat.†	Production.		
	Grain.*	Hay.*		Grain.	Hay.	Average per acre, Grain.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Bushels.	Tons.	ush.
Coastal	940	1,580	8,840	3,070	900	3·3
Tableland—						
Northern	1,110	2,450	6,240	5,690	1,010	5·1
Central	17,040	31,480	70,500	66,620	18,590	3·9
Southern	2,090	4,220	6,490	21,960	2,960	10·5
Totals	20,240	38,150	83,230	94,270	22,560	4·7
Western Slopes—						
North	110,540	24,300	293,440	96,350	1,890	0·9
Central	184,880	150,800	533,000	517,030	54,110	2·8
South	313,590	169,750	552,420	1,177,750	106,530	3·8
Totals	609,010	344,850	1,377,860	1,791,130	162,530	2·9
Central Plains and Riverina—						
North-Central	2,180	3,420	11,610	6,820	1,020	3·1
Central	263,190	87,930	496,750	301,760	22,500	1·1
Riverina	554,050	236,110	1,067,140	2,097,420	144,440	3·8
Totals	819,420	327,460	1,575,500	2,406,000	167,960	2·9
Western	930	3,890	4,900	2,160	580	2·3
Whole State—						
1919-20	1,450,540	715,930	3,050,330	4,296,630	354,530	3·0
1918-19	2,410,530	635,110	3,231,550	17,832,910	519,290	7·4
1917-18	3,329,370	435,180	3,828,440	37,712,000	484,710	11·3
1916-17	3,806,604	633,605	4,498,310	36,598,000	813,768	9·6
1915-16	4,788,865	879,678	5,722,245	66,764,910	1,211,677	15·9

* Inclusive of areas which failed (319,000 acres of wheat and 84,480 acres of hay). † Includes 883,860 acres which were fed-off.

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Sydney, 4th May, 1920.

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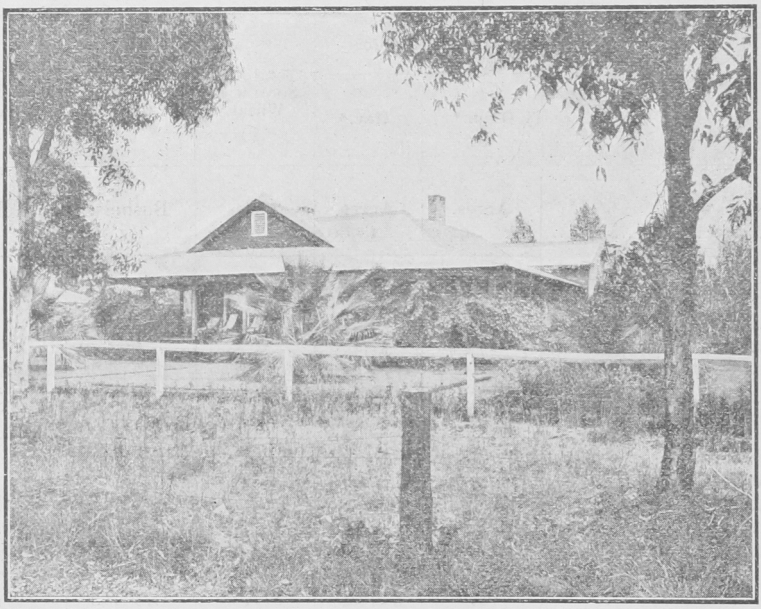
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